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## MAINE STATE HAS GONE REPUBLICAN BY THIN MAJORITY

DEMOCRATS MAKE GAIN OF 32 PER CENT THERE

G. O. P. LOSES 4 PER CENT

TAFT MEN SAY IT'S ONLY LOCAL LIQUOR FIGHT

BRYAN IS MUCH PLEASED

Joins Mack in Declaration that Loss in Strong Republican State in East is Significant

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 15.—Late returns today indicate that the first estimate of the plurality of B. M. Fernald for governor of Maine is substantially correct and the plurality will be about 8,000. The loss of the republicans in the cities is smaller than in the country, where the democrats made the biggest gains over the temporary question. The republican candidates for four congressional districts were elected according to late returns.

The figures indicated a republican loss of 4 per cent and a democratic gain of 32 per cent.

The total vote cast today was in the neighborhood of 140,000, which is within a few thousand of the record for the state.

The next legislature undoubtedly will be republican, but the majority will be greatly reduced because of the number of victories scored in today's contests by the democrats. No United States senator will be chosen until 1911.

Democrats Gain All Around.

The democrats gained over four years ago in nearly every county and city, although some of the municipalities which went democratic two years ago returned to the republican fold today, notably Auburn, Augusta, Belfast, Ellsworth, Portland, and South Portland.

Knox county, the home of the democratic candidate for governor gave a democratic majority of 1,200, but Mr. Gardner was unable to carry his own ward, the only ward in Rockland, his home, which went republican.

Waterville, the home of William T. Haines, who was a candidate for the republican nomination for governor against Fernald, gave a majority of 421 for Gardner. Mr. Haines was the pronounced candidate of the republicans who favored the resubmission to the people of the constitutional amendment prohibiting liquor traffic.

Hard Fight for Congressmen.

The indications are that the four republican candidates for congress were elected by greatly reduced pluralities as compared with 1904. In that year Congressman Allen had a plurality of 4,987. He will be fortunate if at this election he has 1,000.

Charles E. Littlefield, in 1904 in the Second district had 5,213. This year John P. Swazey, the republican candidate probably will not have over 1,050.

In 1904 Congressman Edwin C. Burleigh had 6,868 plurality. This year he will have about 2,000.

In the Fourth district, which in 1904, the late Congressman Powers carried by a plurality of 8,841, the plurality of the republican candidate this year, Frank E. Guernsey of Dover will not exceed 3,000.

State Issues Basis of Fight.

In this election the state issues have largely predominated. There is no doubt that hundreds of men who today voted the democratic ticket will in November vote for Taft and Sherman. The prohibitory liquor law issue entered largely into the fight and no doubt the vote of the cities and the larger towns which is favorable to the democracy hinged entirely upon the so-called liquor question.

Maine Returns Please Bryan.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 14.—William J. Bryan last night was shown the bulletins regarding the results of the Maine election. He was elated over the great democratic gain and said:

"I am gratified at the result. It indicates that the trend toward the democratic party extends over the whole country, and encourages democrats to believe that a victory in November is certain."

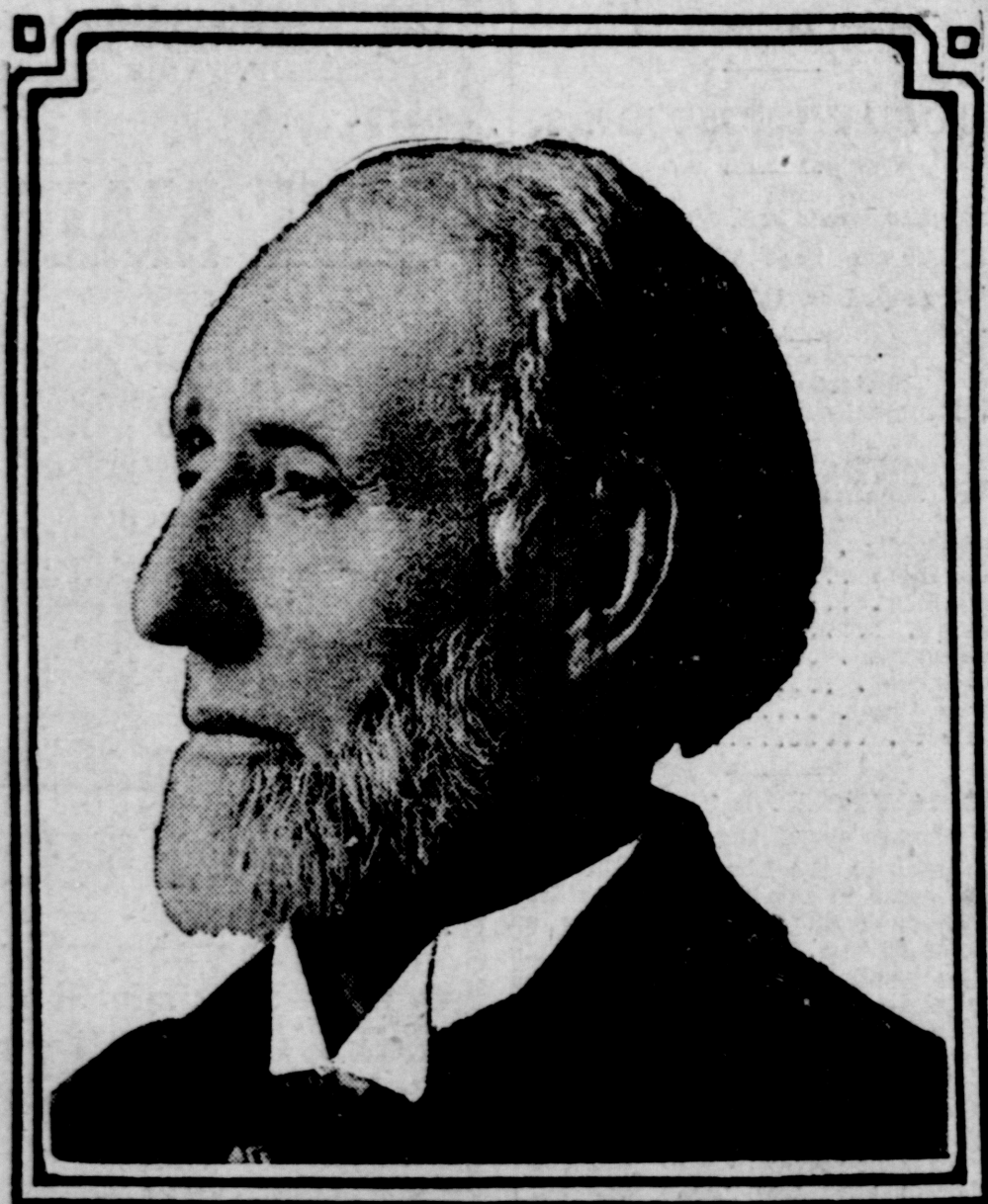
Mr. Bryan immediately telephoned National Committeeman Stone of Maine, tendering his congratulations. Mack Also Is Rejoicing.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 15.—The returns from Maine were received by the democratic leaders with much gratification. National Chairman Mack expressed himself as greatly pleased with the large gains made, declaring it was an indication of a strong drift of democratic sentiment which he had observed on his travels through the country. Mr. Mack said:

"The reports I had received from Maine were encouraging and these

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## ILLINOIS' GRAND OLD MAN POLITICAL HERO OF REPUBLICANS



SHELBY W. CULLOM

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Too feeble to take the stump, the war horse of the republican party, United States Senator Shelby M. Cullom, can be found daily in his private suite in the Grand Pacific hotel, actively interesting himself in the national campaign for Mr. Taft. No man in the party has had a greater and more

varied experience than has the aged senator and no one appreciates more his suggestions than the republican leaders.

Half a century in the political harness is a long time for any man to serve his country. Immediately upon receiving license to practice law in

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## HUGHES ON FIRST BALLOT LIKELY

ALLIES' OPPOSITION FIZZLES AT LAST MOMENT

BOSSSES LOSING STRENGTH

Cannot Defeat the Demands of the People That New York's Governor be Renominated

HUGHES NOMINATED.

Bulletin—Hughes has been nominated.

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SARATOGA, Sept. 15.—After a fight, unprecedented in peculiarities in New York political history, the state republican convention met this afternoon to renominate Hughes.

Hours before the handwriting in Chairman Woodruff's fist appeared, it was agreed that nothing but a political miracle could prevent the nomination of the man to whom more than two-thirds of the delegates were opposed and whose candidacy, unmanaged and unsponsored, had hurdled every trap and pitfall the shrewdest politicians of the state had been able to devise within the past three days. The fight has been one of the state bosses against the demand of the people, and the latter, always on the defensive, had won without striking a blow.

All hope of the allies was shattered and the nomination of Hughes on the first ballot was virtually assured shortly before noon by the receipt of a cablegram from Ambassador Dr. Jayne Hill, in which he declined positively to accept the nomination for governor. One of the most prominent of the anti-Hughes men, who declined to be quoted, stated the allies would stand by the vote of the first ballot, but that the scattered vote, divided between several nominees, would only total about 350, the rest going to Hughes and assuring his choice on the first ballot.

## NELSON-MCFARLAND MATCH IS CLOSED

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—Promoter Coffroth announced today that he has practically closed arrangements for Nelson to fight Packey McFarland here Thanksgiving day for the championship.

THAW AT WHITE PLAINS

WHITE PLAINS, Sept. 15.—Harry Thaw was today brought to the jail here, where his pleasure jaunts will be at end. The keepers refuse to allow newspaper men to visit him until the sheriff returns from the Saratoga convention.

## BERNT NELSON IS APPOINTED TODAY

SUPERVISOR WILL HAVE CHARGE OF CONSTRUCTION

AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL SITE

Is Selected by the Committee Today and Work Has Already Been Started at Onalaska

Mr. Bernt Nelson, 1334 Kane street, county supervisor representing the Ninth ward, was this morning appointed superintendent of construction at the new county agricultural school to be erected at Onalaska.

A number of well known building men had put in applications for the position, but no announcements were made by the school board until this morning.

Yesterday afternoon the school board, consisting of J. L. Pettingill, and Messrs. Oltman and Bolles visited the site of the school grounds for the purpose of selecting the site for the building. Failing to arrive at a conclusion however, they visited the place again this morning in the company of Mr. Nelson, and a spot, in about the center of tract of land to be used, was chosen. It is located on a knoll commanding a good view of the surrounding country.

A crew of men is already at work grading.

## FUNERAL SERVICES FOR J. LIENLOKKEN

Tentative arrangements for the funeral of John Lienlokken, who died last week at Evaro, Mont., have been made. The remains will be brought to the city tomorrow evening and the funeral services will be held at the Norwegian Lutheran church, corner Sixth and Division streets, Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be in Oak Grove cemetery. Rev. Magelson will be the officiating clergyman. Fessler & Dahl will be in charge of the arrangements.

FIRES ARE REVIVED

CALUMET, Mich., Sept. 15.—After dying down for 48 hours, the fires today and at noon sprang to life again today and at noon the Calumet Hecla Mining company sent a large force of men to Lakeview to fight the flames. Small fires are also reported about Norway and Iron Mountain.

Danger Nearly Over.

DULUTH, Minn., Sept. 15.—A steamer from the north shore today reports all towns, including Grand Marais, are out of danger from the fires. None of the refugees would leave Grand Marais. A fund raised in Minnesota for the relief of the fire sufferers has reached \$100,000.

## BRYAN DRUBS TAFT; LATTER WON'T TALK; SILVER IS OUT OF IT

NEBRASKAN COMES BACK HARD AT G. O. P. CANDIDATE

TAFT DECLINES TO RESPOND

SAYS LONG-DISTANCE DEBATE WITH BRYAN IS OVER

TAKES UP SILVER BUGABOO

Bryan Disposes of It and Also of the Government Ownership Worries of His Antagonists

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—Bryan today accused Taft of deliberate misrepresentation and evasion, and declared that the record of the secretary in the Philippines so far as the Bengat railway system and the perpetual franchise, with perpetual guarantees of income are concerned, is capable of much explanation.

Mr. Bryan today read Judge Taft's statement of yesterday carefully, following which he issued a statement in reply to that of the republican candidate. He said:

"Taft is dodging. Instead of defining his position on public questions he is inquiring about my record. He accuses me of being changeable and abandoning issues. Let me refer to the question which he has discussed most. I began with the tariff 28 years ago, and have been a tariff reformer ever since. Taft is only now beginning to see the necessity of tariff reform."

Mr. Bryan then mentioned his own advocacy of the direct election of the United States senators as far back as 1890, and called attention to Taft's statement in his letter of acceptance

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TAFT WON'T ANSWER.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 15.—

There will be no prolongation of the long distance debate between Bryan and Taft. Taft said today when shown the statement given out by Bryan at Philadel. phia, "I have nothing to say."

He would neither make answer or any kind of comment on a statement of the democratic candidate.

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that he is "personally inclined" to the idea, the Nebraskan emphasizing the fact that the judge's party had booted the idea out of its platform.

Bryan also called attention to the fact that he had helped to draw the income tax law of 1894, and added: "Taft is just now admitting that the principle is sound."

Stands Pat on Filipinos.

Next the Nebraskan took up the Filipino question, saying he had been advocating independence for the islanders since 1898, and that Judge Taft, repudiating an old doctrine of his party, is now admitting that ultimately they must become independent, but is putting the time off "at least two generations." Taft, he said, made a mistake of a small matter of \$14,000,000 in his estimate of the cost of "imperialism"; when in his acceptance speech he put the figure at \$6,000,000 annually. The Commoner declared that the increased expense in army and navy, made imperative by the islands, alone amounted to over \$120,000,000.

Railroad Stand Unchanged.

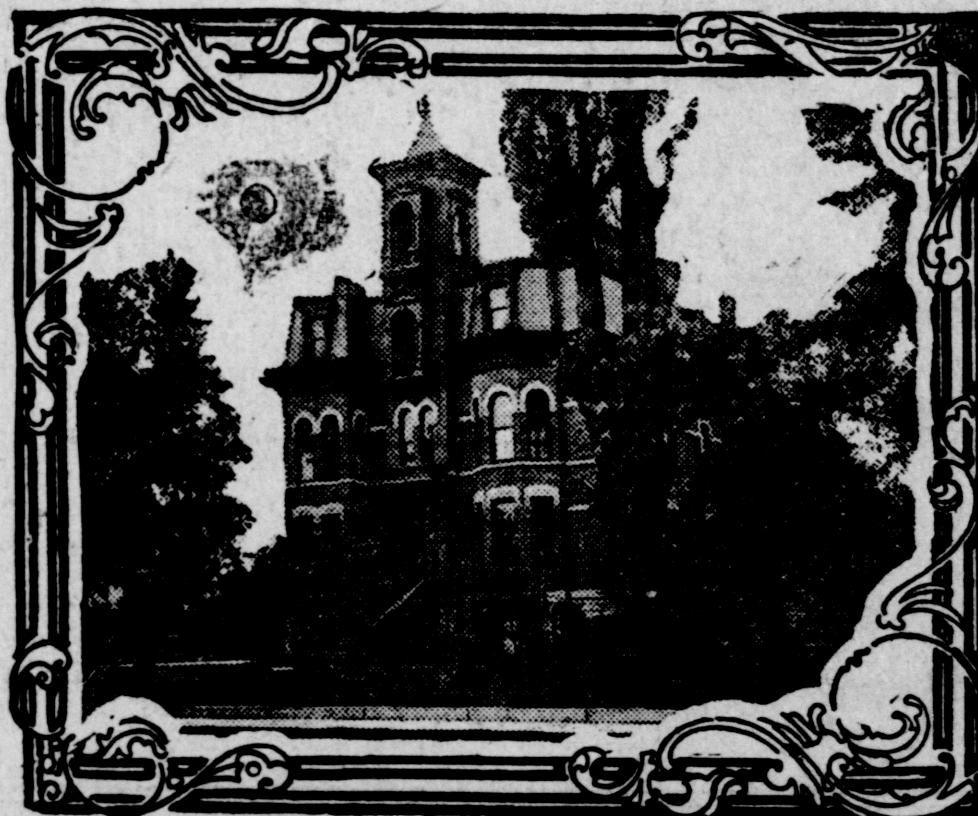
Bryan took occasion to hit the charge that he recently favored immediate government ownership of railroads by reiterating a statement of his position which was called on his return from Europe by what he called a "garbled statement" of his New York utterance on that subject. He declared that Taft has expressed himself strongly on the question of government ownership, publicly agreeing with Roosevelt that ownership must follow in case regulation fails. Mr. Bryan asserted that this is just the position he himself had assumed. "I don't desire ownership, and hope the railroads will consent to be regulated," he said. He added his position was the same as that of Taft excepting that Taft had more faith in the willingness of the railroads to be regulated.

Free Silver No Issue.

Then came the free silver bugaboo. Republicans have been demanding that Bryan show his hand on this subject, and he did so, reiterating the sense of his expression on that subject when a guest of the American colony in London some two years ago. He said the money question is out of politics because the production of Alaskan gold, making treble the amount available for coinage, had removed the necessity for free coinage of silver, and had provided the increase in quantity of money demanded by republicans as well as by democrats. McKinley, he reminded Mr. Taft, had stood up in congress

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## LITTLE JOURNEYS TO SUMMER HOMES OF PROMINENT PEOPLE



MARINETTE, Wis., Sept. 15.—Senator Isaac Stephenson of Marinette, many times a millionaire and one of the shrewdest business men in the state, has just passed the age of 79 years. He owns more than one summer home, but business life has many attractions and his friends and relatives spend their summers there, while the senator lives quietly in his simple brick home in the city.

He is an industrious business man. His home life is simple and his house is not furnished as pretentious as some men who are earning only \$2,000 annually. He likes to see others go on vacations, but he prefers to go fishing.

Senator Isaac Stephenson

## ELLIOTT MAKES PROTEST THAT, IF GRANTED, WILL PUT LA CROSSE IN SECOND PLACE OVER MADISON

President John Elliott will file with President Moll protests of five of the last six games won by Madison from La Crosse. If granted this will put La Crosse in second place.

That a nice fight will be precipitated in the event that the story to the effect that President Moll has forfeited two Wausau games to Madison, thus placing the Senators in second place and relegating La Crosse to third proves to be true, was announced today by a director of the baseball association. President Elliott verifies the statement that a contest will result.

In a letter written some weeks ago President Moll intimated to President Elliott that in case of protests by other teams losing to Wausau while the latter were using ineligible players, he would have to grant the protests, the league executive holding that protest at the time of the game was unnecessary. Moll has not notified President Elliott, who expressed surprise that such a ruling should have been made without the notification of one of the teams concerned, but in case it is true he is prepared with a program that may clinch second place.

President Elliott's Plan. Mr. Elliott's plan is this: He has produced a clause in the constitution which specifically declares that no protest affecting the title to any game shall be allowed unless such protest is filed with the president within ten days of the date of such protested game. This, Mr. Elliott says, is supplementary to the rule requiring protest on the grounds, and covers all protests not reached by that clause. He thinks President Moll has overlooked it.

Madison Was "On."

That Madison had been informed of the fact, and that it was kept a close secret, is indicated by the circumstance that rotters for the Senators were betting that Madison would "land second place" after the second and supposedly deciding game had been taken by the Pinks.

## JAP SEAL POACHERS CAPTURED BY U. S.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 15.—The department of justice was notified today of the capture of between 30 and 40 seal poaching Japanese and two schooners, Sakaki Maru and Pinzai, within three miles of the limit of St. Paul Island.

The revenue cutter Bear made the capture after a hard chase. The men were taken to Unalaska later, to be removed to Valdez for trial. On the schooner were found several hundred skins and on the smaller boats skins and fresh blood, giving positive evidence of poaching.

GOLDMAN TO GO

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The United States is to be rid of Emma Goldman, the champion of anarchy, for a time at last. She is going to forsake the shores of America for Australia, where she will make a lecture tour.

## GORE, OKLAHOMA'S BLIND SENATOR IS TO OPEN CAMPAIGN IN LA CROSSE CO.

DOHERTY PLANS A SMASHING BATTLE IN COUNTY

GORE IS A FINE ORATOR

MADE HIT WITH SPEECH IN DENVER CONVENTION

TO SPEAK FRIDAY NIGHT

State Chairman H. H. Mauson Makes Announcements of His State Itinerary

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—State Democratic Chairman H. H. Mauson notified John A. Aylward, candidate for governor, last night that Senator W. P. Gore of Oklahoma will speak in Madison Thursday and in La Crosse Friday, under the auspices of the democratic national committee. This is the beginning of the campaign to attempt to put Wisconsin in the Bryan column this fall.

John F. Doherty, chairman of the democratic county committee, yesterday received a telegram from State Chairman H. H. Mauson, of Wausau, asking if La Crosse county wanted the blind senator for Friday. He said that Milwaukee desired to secure him, but that La Crosse was more convenient for the senator's itinerary, and would prove a strong card here. After discussing the matter with his close political associates, Mr. Doherty wired Chairman Mauson to close the date for La Crosse.

The coming of Senator Gore is regarded by Chairman Doherty and other leaders of the local democracy as particularly fortunate. Gore is a strong man, and it fitted nicely with the plans of the democratic county committee to fire the first gun in this county, and to make it a telling shot. That the blind senator is going to make a big impression they earnestly believe, and their presumption to that effect is based upon the solid ground of the "hit" he made in the Denver convention where he spoke to thousands who listened to every syllable and cheered uproariously when he made a popular point.

Invites Mauson, Too.

Chairman Doherty this morning sent an invitation to State Chairman H. H. Mauson, to accompany Senator Gore on his visit to La Crosse. Senator Gore will probably arrive over the Northwestern road from Madison, where he speaks Thursday, and while there have been no arrangements made for his entertainment today, Mr. Doherty stated that a committee would be appointed tomorrow to have charge of his entertainment while in La Crosse.

The Auditorium has been secured for the event and Senator Gore will open his address at 8 o'clock.

## Weather and Water



Coolest in La Crosse, 56; warmest, 80; wind 4 miles; rainfall, 0.

Warmest in U. S.—Phoenix, Ariz. The river will fall slightly during the next 36 hours.

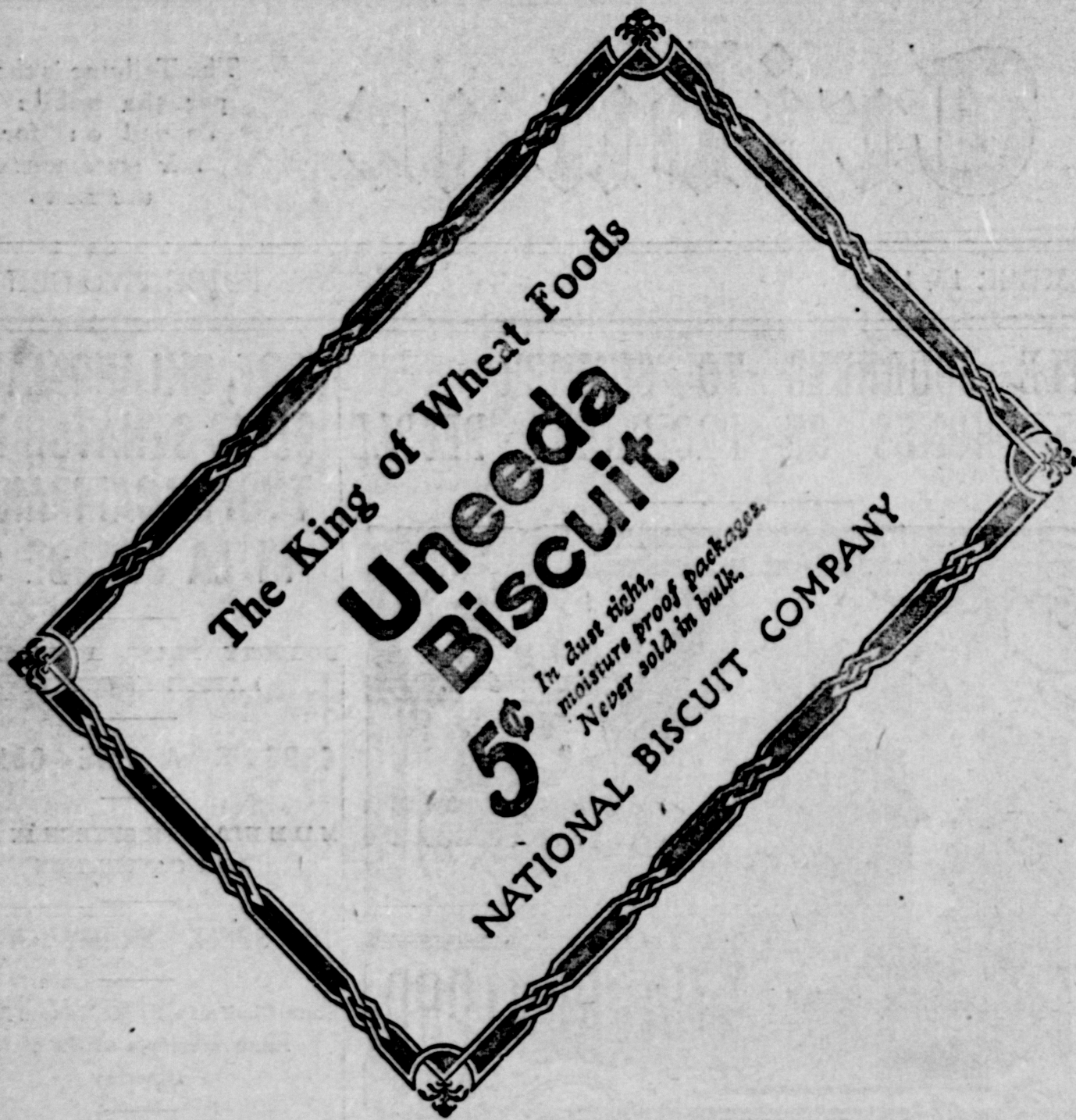
Stage of water at La Crosse, 2.4, a rise of .1 foot; at Prairie du Chien, 2.3, a fall of .1 foot.

Wisconsin—Fair tonight and Wednesday; warmer north and west portions.

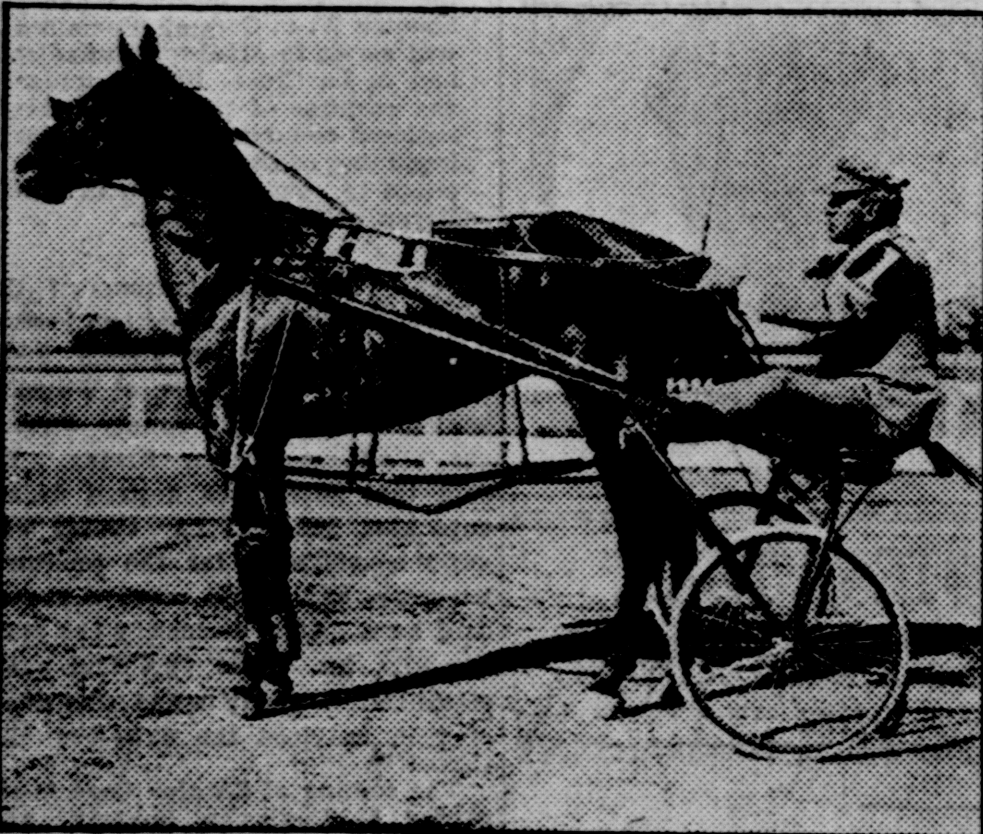
Minnesota—Fair tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

Iowa—Fair tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.





## DARKEY HALL



This clever little racer has been in excellent form and has frequently shown ability on the grand circuit this summer. With Snow up, it is a great combination.

## FIRE PERIL OVER.

DULUTH, Minn., Sept. 15.—Though hundreds of small fires continue burning throughout this section, it is believed the danger is practically over. Indications today are for a soaking rain tonight throughout the fire region which is expected to extinguish the fires finally. Today hundreds are returning to the cleared space and have started rebuilding their homes. In Chisholm, the first town destroyed, the work of rebuilding is advancing rapidly, and classes today resumed school in one of the buildings which escaped destruction. A heavy pall of smoke is still settled over the entire middle northwest.

## WILL AWAIT ELECTION.

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 15.—The Danish cabinet which resigned Saturday as the result of the financial frauds of S. P. A. Alberti, former minister of justice, will retain their portfolios until the new parliament assembles Sept. 28. The ministers would have liked to be relieved at once, but the king requested that they wait until parliament meets.

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## SPORTING NOTES

## GIANTS TAKE TEN INNING CONTEST

DEFEAT BROOKLYN BY SCORE OF 4 TO 3

PHILLIES LOSE TO BOSTON

Browns Take Game from Tigers —  
White Sox Lose to Cleveland—  
Washington-Philadelphia Even

**Games Today.**  
**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**  
Detroit in St. Louis.  
Cleveland in Chicago.  
Philadelphia in Washington.  
New York in Boston.  
**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
Pittsburg in Philadelphia.  
Cincinnati in Brooklyn.  
Chicago in Boston.  
St. Louis in New York.

**Yesterday's Results.**  
**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**  
Cleveland, 10; Chicago, 4.  
St. Louis, 5; Detroit, 2.  
Philadelphia, 5-1; Washington, 0-2.

Boston, 2; New York, 4.  
**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
New York, 4; Brooklyn, 3.  
Boston, 4; Philadelphia, 2.

**Club Standings.**

|              | W. | L. | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Detroit      | 75 | 56 | .573 |
| Chicago      | 75 | 59 | .560 |
| Cleveland    | 75 | 60 | .555 |
| St. Louis    | 73 | 59 | .552 |
| Philadelphia | 64 | 67 | .489 |
| Boston       | 65 | 68 | .489 |
| Washington   | 58 | 71 | .450 |
| New York     | 43 | 88 | .328 |

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**

|              | W. | L. | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| New York     | 82 | 46 | .641 |
| Chicago      | 83 | 51 | .620 |
| Pittsburg    | 82 | 51 | .617 |
| Philadelphia | 71 | 57 | .555 |
| Cincinnati   | 62 | 71 | .466 |
| Boston       | 56 | 77 | .421 |
| Brooklyn     | 44 | 86 | .338 |
| St. Louis    | 44 | 87 | .336 |

The Giants are keeping up their winning streak, yesterday taking Brooklyn into tow by the score of 4 to 3 in ten innings; Seymour's batting practically won the game for the Giants. Boston won from Philadelphia, 4 to 2.

In the American league the Browns won from the Tigers by the score of 5 to 2, Boston defeated New York, and Cleveland won from the White Sox in a batfist by the score of 10 to 4. Washington broke even with Philadelphia in a double header.

**National League Games.**  
At New York—R H E  
Brooklyn.....3000000000—3 8 0  
New York.....0000020101—4 8 2  
Batteries—Pastorius, Rucker and Dunn; Witte and Bresnahan.

At Philadelphia—R H E  
Boston.....001020001—1 5 1  
Philadelphia.....000100020—3 7 6  
Batteries—Chappelle and Bowerman; McQuillen and Dool.

**American League Games.**  
At St. Louis—R H E  
Detroit.....001001000—2 9 3  
St. Louis.....10211000—5 9 0  
Batteries—Donovan and Schmidt; Powell and Smith.

At Boston—R H E  
New York.....001000000—1 5 2  
Boston.....000200000—2 7 4  
Batteries—Lake and Kleinow; Steele, Moran and Donohue.

At Chicago—R H E  
Cleveland.....010000612—10 18 1  
Chicago.....020000020—4 9 2  
Batteries—Joss and Bemis; Owen and Sullivan.

At Washington—R H E  
First game—R H E  
Philadelphia.....000010000—1 10 1  
Washington.....010000000—2 10 1  
Batteries—Sallee and Powers; Keeley and Street.

Second game—R H E  
Philadelphia.....01000121—5 9 2  
Washington.....000000000—0 3 2  
Batteries—Coombs and Lapp; Keeley and Street. Game called account of darkness.

## PAPKE-KETCHEL FIGHT IS TOPIC

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 15.—All the sports here are much interested in the coming fight between Papke and Ketchel, because it is recognized that it will be the fiercest battle seen here in years. Ketchel is said by his manager, Joe O'Connor, to be brooding over his defeat in Los Angeles, which he attributes wholly to carelessness. Stanley will not admit he was out-fought by Papke but says that a lucky fluke punch which closed one of his eyes gave Papke the victory on Labor Day.

O'Connor says he will send Ketchel into the mountains to build up his strength and then he declares there will be another victory. He is confident Stanley will win again and so are many of the local fans who have backed Ketchel from the start of his career.

In the meanwhile Papke is making friends and incidentally showing he is wiser than Ketchel, as his head isn't swelled by his sudden leap into the middleweight championship. He is absolutely sure he can whip Ketchel, so when they clash the fans will certainly get a run for their money.

## INDIANAPOLIS WINS ASSOCIATION FLAG

TAKES LAST GAME OF SEASON FROM LOUISVILLE

LOUISVILLE SECOND IN RACE

Milwaukee Lands in Sixth Place, Having for the Past Three Months Played an Uphill Game

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Indianapolis 10, Louisville 5.

**CLUB STANDINGS.**  
**American Association.**

|              | W. | L.  | Pct. |
|--------------|----|-----|------|
| Indianapolis | 92 | 61  | .602 |
| Louisville   | 88 | 65  | .575 |
| Columbus     | 86 | 68  | .559 |
| Toledo       | 81 | 72  | .530 |
| Minneapolis  | 77 | 76  | .503 |
| Milwaukee    | 71 | 83  | .462 |
| Kansas City  | 70 | 83  | .453 |
| St. Paul     | 47 | 105 | .309 |

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 15.—The Browns closed the most successful season in the history of the national game in this city by defeating the Colonels in easy fashion by a score of 10 to 5. Hard, clean hitting by the locals featured the contest, Carr leading in the slugging with a home run and three singles. Poole was driven from the box in the third and Stovall, who succeeded him, was also hit hard. Marquard was relieved in the fourth by Schreiber, a Central league recruit, who allowed Louisville but one hit. Manager Carr changed his lineup to give all the utility men a chance and they worked brilliantly.

A benefit game and field contest for the new "champs" will be pulled off tomorrow.

Marquard and Durham left tonight to join McGraw's Giants. Today's scores:

|               | R | H | P | A | E |
|---------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville    | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Harley, lf    | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Stovall, p-rf | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Stanley, c    | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Burke, 3b     | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Quinlan, ss   | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Sullivan, 1b  | 1 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 0 |
| Perrine, 2b   | 1 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Hughes, c     | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Poole, rf-p   | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Totals.....5 4 24 12 3  
Indianapolis.....R H P A E  
Bush, ss.....0 1 1 1 0  
Davidson, cf.....2 3 1 0 0  
Hayden, rf.....2 2 3 0 0  
Carr, 1b.....2 4 13 1 0  
Livingston, 1b.....0 0 0 0 0  
Coulter, lf.....1 1 1 0 0  
Howley, c.....0 0 3 0 0  
Wakefield, c.....0 0 3 0 0  
Williams, 2b.....0 0 0 2 0  
Lindsay, 2b.....1 1 0 4 0  
Hopke, 3b.....2 2 0 5 0  
Marquard, p.....0 1 0 0 0  
Schreiber, p.....0 1 1 0 0  
Werden.....0 0 0 0 0

## O'KEEFE LOSES FIGHT ON FOUL

VALLEJO, Cal., Sept. 15.—Three times deliberately fouling Kyle Whitney, who had previously knocked him down, Jack O'Keefe, the Chicago welterweight, lost his match to the colored boy in the seventh round. After being struck low the third time, Whitney rolled to the floor in pain. Then Referee Grennan, manager of the club stopped the contest and gave the decision to Whitney.

In the seventh round of the fight, which had been practically even, Whitney put a left to O'Keefe's stomach that dropped the Chicagoan. O'Keefe took advantage of the count. As he stood on his feet his seconds shouted to him to clinch and save himself. For half a minute he took more body punishment and then struck savagely and low at Whitney. Everybody saw the foul blow struck and the action of the referee in disqualifying O'Keefe was commended.

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He will visit La Crosse at the Hotel La Crosse Wednesday, Sept. 16th.



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Hypnotist, Mindreader and Telepathist, at the Bijou this Week

## PROFESSIONAL TO COACH YALE.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 15.—Indications are Yale will return to professional coaching in baseball. Capt. Fred Murphy is here and will confer with prominent alumni for developing a system of coaching.

Yale has system other sports, but lacks it in baseball, the sport in which it is weaker. Capt. "Tad" Jones of the nine last spring has decided to return to Yale for the entire coming year and will be available for coaching in baseball and football.

Yale will make radical innovations in rowing. The new English shell has been ordered, to arrive in time for fall work. The rowing begins as soon as the fall term opens. Coach John Kennedy has returned after a summer trip to England. He was a passenger on the steamer that brought home Wray, the Harvard coach, after a similar trip. As a result of his trip he will make modifications in the Yale stroke. Yale has four veterans returning, while Harvard has seven.

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## VANDERBOOM TO COACH MARINETTE

MARINETTE, Wis., Sept. 15.—Edward J. Vanderboom, the famous Wisconsin halfback, will coach the football team of the Marinette high school this fall. Work has already started and with the promising bunch of material on hand, Vanderboom expects to turn out a state championship team.

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### THE BRYAN SCARE ON.

Walter Wellman, despite his optimistic republicanism, is one of those journalists who refuses to blind himself to conditions adverse to his own ideas of what is desirable. In his Sunday Letter to the Record-Herald he said:

"Just now the Bryan scare is on, sure enough. But it is a part of the republican program. More than a month ago it was pointed out in these dispatches that a wave of alarm over the danger of Bryan's success was due to run through the country about the middle of September; that the republican leaders wanted it, because they believed it was needed to rouse the mass of voters from their apathy and make sure of Taft's success. Well, the Bryan scare is here. In addition to the reports about republican losses in Ohio and Indiana, recently published, James J. Hill came to town last night, told Wall street and the politicians that Bryan was making big gains in the west and that hard work would be needed to stop him from carrying several states hitherto republican."

We are reminded by President Roosevelt's championship of Judge Taft that the president recently said that Mr. Bryan is "one of the three foremost citizens of the United States." The best that Taft can get, then, is an "even break," unless we take him at his avoirdupois and regard him as the other two of the "three foremost citizens."

Mr. Taft displayed a pretty wit when he said that Mr. Bryan had starred, first as the father, and now as the heir, to the "Roosevelt policies."

Interest in the Waukon excursion has developed such strength that it appears probable that there were some of our business men to miss the train they would walk on to Waukon.

### THE FIRST U. S. CENSUS

(New York Times.)

The heads of families whose names adorn the pages of the first United States census of 1790, now for the first time published at Washington, were less than eight times as numerous as the army of 70,000 census takers that will be required to count the population of 90,000,000 in 1910. There were six persons in the average family, so that, exclusive of slaves, the total population in 1790 is set at 3,231,533. The schedules for the states of Delaware, Georgia, Kentucky, New Jersey, Tennessee and Virginia were destroyed when the British burned the capitol at Washington in the war of 1812, but the records of the rest of the colonial states are complete.

The cost of the first census was \$44,377. For the census of 1910 it will be approximately \$14,000,000, and the country is growing so tremendously that Director North predicts that it may thereafter require a complete enumeration every five years, instead of for each decennial period. The United States marshals and their assistants, 650 in all, acting under orders from President George Washington, had greater difficulty, it seems, in obtaining answers to their simple questions about free persons and slaves than do the later enumerators with their more complete requirements. One section of the colonial population found Bible warrant for opposing the count, while other forefathers were somewhat fearful that increased taxes would result from their disclosures.

The heads of families in this city and state did admit, however, the possession of 21,129 slaves, besides many persons bound in service, and they freely gave their names. It is of passing interest to those who are still in doubt about the pronunciation of the name "Roosevelt" that it was spelled in the original census sheets with a single "o."

### THE NAVY HAS AN INCUBUS

(New York World.)

The navy department now offers to turn over the wooden frigate Constitution to the city of Boston, provided it will maintain it as a nautical museum. Last year Mr. Bonaparte, then secretary of the navy, proposed that the gallant old ship should be towed out to sea and blown up. It seems strange that there is not enough reverence in the navy department, such as stirs the average American, to want to keep the Constitution as a government possession instead of searching for ways to get rid of her historic timbers.

### POPULATION OF GERMANY

(New York Times.)

The statistical year book for the German empire, just issued, shows its present population to be 63,017,000. The increase within the empire has for several years averaged a little less than a million. But millions more have migrated to Austria, to South America and to the United States. They have relieved the nation of the necessity of breaking its political bounds, and they have made a good impression of the German character abroad. Modern emigration prevents more wars than diplomacy.

### Our Artist.

She—Oh, yes; I'll sit any time. I don't mind you doing a caricature of me.—The Tatler.

## SPOTLIGHTS

### Olcott Pleases Again.

Chauncey Olcott, one of the most popular of the favorites who visit the La Crosse theatre in a season, delighted a large audience with "Ragged Robin" last evening. At the end of each of the three acts Mr. Olcott was recalled several times and at the close of the second act he was called before the curtain and sang several of his old favorites, including "My Wild Irish Rose," "Sunny Boy" and others.

The play, "Ragged Robin," was characteristically clean, romantic and mystical. Its story was of a fairy well on an old Irish farm, and the fairy spell woven about the lovers who drank from the well. They were united after varied hardships and the play ended happily as do all Olcott plays.

Mr. Olcott's voice continues sweet as ever, seemingly. He was supported by a good company, Florence Lester, who played the part of Margaret, being an exceptionally beautiful and accomplished young actress, putting that touch of romance in her work which gave it the desired fairy charm. The scenery was beautiful, especially the apple orchard scene in the first act, and the vision in the third act which included also the will-o'-the-wisp, the flight of the fairy host, and the bog scene. Olcott seems to be one of the few actors-singers whose voice and popularity grows with each succeeding appearance here.

### At the Bijou.

The bill at the Bijou this week is entirely away and above the ordinary vaudeville program. The management made the announcement from the stage before the opening number that they were obliged to apologize to the patrons for their disappointment in the non-arrival of one of the acts. The management had wired to Chicago for another act to fill the vacancy when the bill will be presented entire at this evening's performance. The lack of one act on the bill did not seem to disturb the large audience very much, the audience being well satisfied with the show as it was.

The Hugh Emmet & Co., novel, musical and ventriloquist entertainers were the opening number. Mr. Emmet is exceptionally good, in fact it is without flaw. The stage setting for the act is richly dressed and represents a cozy home wherein the principal is calmly smoking a cigar and reading the newspaper in the bosom of his "family." The strength of Mr. Emmet's performance lays in the ease with which he makes his figures talk in their different pitch of voices and accents. The closest attention to the operator's face failed to reveal any muscular contraction or movement of lips that so often mar an entertainment of this kind. Some good jokes and gags are exchanged between him and "the Mick" who seems to be full of the blarney of mother wit. Mrs. Emmet's fine appearance and excellent piano accompaniment adds very much to the interest of the number. The act scored a decided hit.

Mr. Petrick, the pleasing baritone, sang, "I Wish I Had a Girl," in capital style and was well received.

If in doubt ask Svingali! Svingali, hypnotist, mind reader and telepathist, is the great attraction at the Bijou this week. Mr. Svingali divides his program into two parts, ten minutes in telepathy and 20 minutes in hypnotism. Mr. Svingali has a magnificent physique and a commanding appearance. His personality seems to radiate magnetism, while his thought transference is symbolic of the ancient cult of wonder. Mrs. Svingali makes her appearance on the stage in the startling dress of Mephisto. She is put under the spell of hypnosis and while under this influence is made to describe objects picked at random in the audience without a word being said or a gesture made on the part of the operator. Her eyes are closed, she is asleep, and she moves in a dreamy, weird, cryptic and mysterious way. All tests were fulfilled. In the second part of his performance Mr. Svingali experienced the trouble incidental to all hypnotists in getting a committee on the stage. His request was for six but only five responded. Out of the five four responded to the spell of the master, the fifth being dismissed. They were made to do various ludicrous and ridiculous things in their hypnotic state to the uproarious amusement of the large audience. Mr. Svingali announced last night that at the conclusion of the first performance Wednesday night he would put a young man into an hypnotic sleep for 24 hours. The subject would be carried through the audience to the lobby, thence to the Independent 10 Cent store, corner Fourth and Main streets, where he will be on exhibition all day Thursday, after which he will be brought back to the theatre where he will be awakened at the conclusion of the first performance Thursday night.

The bill closed with the motion picture, "An American Soldier in the Philippines." The film is good and tells the story of Filipino treachery and American heroism in our far away oriental possessions. After a man has reached the age when he is ready to settle down and stop giving his wife trouble, his sons have reached the age to begin.

Nothing is more delightful than to be invited to visit a home where good form prevails in all things; where nothing is underdone or overdone; where there is that touch of nicety and refinement at once refreshing to the man or woman who is constantly rubbing elbows with the world. In such a home you will invariably note that Nabisco Sugar Wafers are served at luncheon or dinner or on the shady lawn. Nabisco Sugar Wafers are truly the most delightful confection ever conceived—ever dainty and delicious—and always good form.

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With cloud of steam and rub-a-dubs,  
With squeak of wringer, creak of tube—  
Wring out, wild Belle, the weekly wash.

Wring out the old, wring out the new;  
Wring lightly, Belle, and have a fare—  
That sheet is tearing. Let it tear;  
Tis thus we tell the false from true.

Wring out that shirtwaist home-designed;  
It ne'er shall vex my spirit more.  
I'll send it to the heathen poor  
To help re-dress some womankind.

Wring out that slowly fading frock  
Of ancient form and last year's sleeves  
That shirt quite a la mode of Steves,  
And Maud's new-fangled fancy stock.

Wring out odd 'shapes of every size—  
The ever-narrowing undervest,  
The worn-out socks, and all the rest—  
Wring out, wild Belle, to the wild skies.

**The Masses at the Art Show.**  
"What d'yer call that, Bill?"  
"Well, I should say as 'ow it's a droling."  
"No, it ain't, stoopid, it's an itching."  
"Get along with yer; yer're both wrong; it's a pastile."—The Tatler.

**A Sartorial Stab.**  
Mr. Jackson, colored, had come to the home of his fiancée, Miss Jasmine Jones, to fulfill an afternoon appointment. Not finding the lady at the customary trysting place in the front yard, Mr. Jackson leisurely strolled around the house, thinking he would probably come upon her there. The lady was yet not to be found, but her mother was discovered on the back porch doing the family washing. Approaching with his most pompous air, the future son-in-law inquired, "Miss' Jones, can yo' tell me anything of de wharabouts of Miss' Jasmine dis fin' aftahnoon?"  
"De wharabouts of Jasmine, did you say, Mistah Jackson?" puzzled the old woman, looking up from her tub.  
"Yes'm, dat's what I say, de wharabouts of Miss' Jasmine."  
"Wal," muttered the old negress, as she began hastily to overhaul the contents of her tub, "if dey ain't heah I reckon she's done got 'em on." —Brooklyn Life.

**As to Certain Insets.**  
First Fair Maid—Why are men like mosquitoes?  
Second Fair Maid—I can't guess; why?  
First Fair Maid—They are easier to catch after a full meal.—Smart Set.

**A Sailor's Christening.**  
"The late Bishop Potter once in his early days had occasion to officiate at a christening in a small fishing village on the Massachusetts coast," says a writer in the current issue of Harper's Weekly. "The proud father, a young fisherman, awkwardly holding his first-born daughter, was visibly embarrassed under the scrutiny of the many eyes in the congregation, and his nervousness was not decreased by the sudden wailing of the infant as they stood at the font."  
"When the time for the baptism of the babe arrived the bishop noticed that the father was holding the child so that its fat little legs pointed toward the font."  
"Turn her this way," he whispered, but the father was too disconcerted to hear or understand.  
"Turn her foot around," the bishop whispered again; but still there was no response. The situation was fast becoming critical, when an ancient mariner in the back of the church came to the rescue. Putting his weather-beaten hand to his mouth he roared across the room, "Head her up to the wind, Jack!"

More people are poor on account of bad management than on account of extravagance.

### THE IRON LORD

A Hitherto Unpublished Story of Immense Power.  
By  
**S. R. CROCKETT.**  
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It was almost with a cheer that the inspector—certain capture and a rushed great trial before him—rubbed forward, shouting, "We have him—we have him now!"

Walter Grindling took one leg of the hidden man. The inspector hauled at the other.

The man backed out eagerly. Apparently he did not wish to hide himself. On the contrary, they heard a voice from under the machinery, which declared an immediate intention of assault and battery, upon all and sundry, "as soon as he could get at them."

But at this they only dragged the more. The murderer of James Kahn was certainly a dangerous man—vigorous, too, in an uncommon degree. The inspector summoned all good citizens to assist in the capture on pain of dreadful legal penalties. This, however, only resulted in the prompt disappearance of the sole adult male Gallovidian, while even the women retreated within their doorsteps, whence they called to their offspring shrilly.

"Tammy, come here this mornin', or I'll tak' the hide off a' you!"  
"Peter"—"Jim"—"Bob"—"Andra!" All were summoned, and all with one mind disobeyed. Such a thing did not happen in Creetown every day, and there were cases when maternal wrath might be safely discounted—as when there was something big to talk over with the neighborhood—that is, with the other vociferating mothers. So Peter—Jim—Andra—and Bob stayed on.

The man beneath crawled out backwards, muttering many fine syllabled words in a foreign tongue. He was strong, able-bodied, and the kicks that he launched backwards at his captors, even before he got a sight of them, evidenced the excellent state of his training and general health.

He came out suddenly as a cork from a bottle. The next moment the inspector went backwards, nearly taking the heel of a Wellington boot with him, and Walter Grindling sat groaning, nursing himself and speaking at large.

For, Vic Morris towered over them both, irate, a solid screw-key in his hand.

"Now, what the thirty-one diablos do you mean by that," he shouted. "For one farthing sterling I would lay this wrench about your ears. You, Grindling, what do you mean? Eh, stand up, man. Explain! I never had any quarrel with you! Phil Calmont! Who is that windlestraw with the dog-collars?"

"Submit! In the Name of the Law!" cried the inspector, advancing with a pair of handcuffs of the most recent description, and, though a brave man, wishing that the criminal had not possessed such a powerful muscular development.

"Submit, indeed!" cried Vic; and with one movement of his hand he sent the shining bands of steel glittering and serpentine over the roofs of the nearest houses. It is true that the houses of Creetown are not very high.

Inspector Henderson was very angry, as who, indeed, would not be? Vic put his clenched fist down under the detective's nose by way of temporary certificate of character.

"Tell them, Phil, who I am!" he said; "I have come off a Tharsis copper brig—got sick at Bilbao and needed a holiday. The 'old man' put in here under stress. By that time I had had enough of the sea and so got ashore."

"But what of the car?" cried Inspector Henderson, foaming with rage; "we don't want to hear all this rigmarole!"

"Well, you've got to hear it—you asked for it, you know!" said Vic, with strong common sense.

The inspector's hands trembled so much that he could hardly show Vic his little gold badge of office, while Phil explained the quality of each to the other. His words were as oil on the waters.

"Oh, all right," said Vic, easily, "only don't go hauling an able-bodied man from under a sixty h. p. Mercedes and then expect him to bless you! Because he won't—you

hear me? Besides, he may have something in his hand which will hurt somebody. I very nearly did!"  
"How did you come by this machine?" said Inspector Henderson, "and how do you prove your identity, and the length of your stay in this country? It is a case of murder!"  
Vic whistled.

"Oh, then, I apologise," he said. "But, really, I couldn't stand those handcuffs! I don't play with such toys. As for the car, a young, darkish man explained that he was going on to join a ship, which had put in at Rascarel, I think he said for Heavy Spar. He told me that this Mercedes was Mr. Kahn's, and that it needed a repair or two—also driving back to Kirktown. Would I undertake it, as I had been with the firm—I don't know how he knew. 'Well, rather—I said!—There or thereabouts!' Why, the job just suited me. I told him that I saw she had been over some rough country—but nothing to hurt. I would take her home, and glad of the chance. You see, I am a working engineer, as either of these gentlemen will tell you—Grindling, after he has had a drink. Well, I was repairing the thing when you came along and began hauling me out. There was no trouble before that."

"And the young man—which way did he go?" inquired the inspector.

"Oh, any of these good people will tell you. I did not bother any more about him. I knew it was Mr. Kahn's machine, and that I was in luck to get my fingers on the driving gear of a Big 'Un. But anybody in Creetown will tell you. It was some time yesterday, you see!"

At this the inspector cast up his shoulders with a hopeless gesture.

"Then it is no use!" he cried. "We may as well go home." In spite of this, however, he made his inquiries. Oh, yes, the men drawled as they lounged in disinterested attitudes about their doors. Each had been watching all the time with a corner of a little tuck of white lace curtain lifted—the same which obscured the bottom panes of every window all down the long street. The goodwives, however, were more voluble.

"A decent foreign lad?" they asked magnanimously. "Certainly, he had been there, but had not stayed."

A sturdiest woman, landlady of a hotel in a neighbouring Fleet village, interposed that she knew nothing about it, having just come over for a day's pleasuring. But that, in her opinion, no foreigners whatever were decent. As for her, she was glad to be able to explain that she knew nothing about it.

"Then hold your tongue till you get to Gatehouse!" said the inspector, whose mood by this time was by no means unruffled.

(To be continued.)

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FRANK H. BURGESS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this thirty-first day of August, 1908.  
A. E. BLECKMAN,  
Notary Public.

### A PERILOUS CONFESSION.

The following announcement was made yesterday from republican national headquarters:

"The committee is keeping conservatives off the lists of campaign speakers for the west. Senator Foraker will not go to Kansas to open the campaign, but goes east. Cannon will not go west of Illinois. The progressives who fought to turn the Roosevelt policies into laws will go across the Mississippi."

It may be good politics for the Taft managers to do this, but for them to say it appears to be indiscreet. Perhaps Mr. Bryan will reiterate what he has said about Mr. Taft trying to straddle the fence that separates conservatism and progress. That in availing themselves of the oratorical talents of such men as Foraker, Cannon and Hopkins the Taft managers are inviting the distrust of voters who believe these men are hostile to the common interests of the country is more than possible, and the open declaration that Foraker will not be permitted to speak in progressive Kansas and that "Uncle Joe" will not be allowed to move westward across the Mississippi, but that both will be "utilized" in the reactionary east, sounds like a confession of politics the character of

which is not likely to inspire confidence in the declaration that Taft is a progressive.

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On Friday, Sept. 11, The Tribune published the following offer to advertisers and challenge to its competitors:

"(1) The A. A. A. guarantees The Tribune's average daily city circulation during the past year was 3,542. We guarantee to every advertiser that this is 20 per cent more subscribers in the city of La Crosse than the combined paid city subscribers of all other English daily papers, and to any advertiser who can show that this is not true we agree to give free a contract for a year's advertising."

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"To any merchant who desires to make a private investigation, either by canvass or through an expert actuary, we will pay the ENTIRE COST of said investigation, with the understanding that the result of his investigation shall be treated as strictly confidential."

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# THE COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE TODAY

## Piles Piles Piles

Cured Quickly by Pyramid Pile Cure  
As the Testimony of Thousands  
Proves.

**Trial Package By Mail, Free.**  
Don't despair of curing piles. Our  
mail is practically a mass of testi-  
monial proof of the virtues of Pyra-  
mid Pile Cure.  
These little cone shaped healers  
cause you no worry, pain or loss of  
business time.  
They do their work easily, pleas-  
antly and without apparent effort.  
No great expense is necessary, no  
operation is needed. Simply go to  
your druggist and buy a box, price  
fifty cents, of Pyramid Pile Cure and  
follow the directions or send us your  
name and address and we will send  
you a trial package by mail free.  
Test them and prove their merits.  
Address Pyramid Drug Co., 150 Py-  
ramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

## THOMAS & EBERHART COAL CO.

Dealers in

## COAL & WOOD

A. J. EBERHART, Mgr.

BOTH PHONES. 700 ROSE ST.

## The Anderson Tire Works

### AUTO TIRES REPAIRED

Retreading, Sectional Work, and  
Rebuilding

Also Repairing of Inner Tubes.

### ALL WORK GUARANTEED

932 Caledonia St. N. La Crosse Wis.  
New Phone 618R.

## Spices

Erhart makes a  
mixed spice extract  
that will not discolor  
the fruit. The flavor  
is much finer; you can  
tell at once if enough  
has been added and  
avoid the woody  
taste.

10c per ounce, 3  
for 25c.

## ERHART'S RED CROSS DRUG STORES

## GIVES FAREWELL SURPRISE PARTY

Miss Josephine Johnson entertain-  
ed Saturday evening with a surprise  
in honor of Miss Minnie Whittenberg  
who left for Lemon, S. D., where  
she has taken up a claim. The even-  
ing was pleasantly spent at cards af-  
ter which luncheon was served. Miss  
Whittenberg was presented with a  
beautiful hand-bag by those present.  
The following is a list of the guests:  
Misses Pearl McCabe, Orma Gage,  
Anna Bollrud, Blanche Downey,  
Irene Sloane, Josephine Benjamin,  
Hannah Danchertsen, Cora Schultz,  
Josephine Johnson Lillie Whitten-  
berg and Mesdames M. Cherrier, J.  
Williams, F. Green and Minnie Whit-  
tenberg.

Miss Margaret Farnam leaves soon  
for Norton, Mass., to attend the  
Wheaton seminary.

## A ROYAL FEAST Post Toasties

with Cream.

"The Taste Lingers"

Made by  
Postum Cereal Company, Limited,  
Battie Creek, Mich.

## THE LA CROSSE TRIBUNE

NORTH SIDE OFFICE  
831 ROSE ST.  
R. F. STANTON . . . . . Manager  
E. A. BAILEY . . . . . Editor  
NEW PHONE 780-A.  
North Side Advertising and News handled  
from this Office.

## TWO SALOONS ARE ROBBED OF CASH ON NORTH SIDE

CROOKS SCARED FROM THIRD  
PLACE BY BARTENDER

## TWO SUSPECTS ARRESTED

FRANK SHUMMERS AND TRACEY  
MERRILL ARE NABBED

## GOODS ARE FOUND ON THEM

That is the Allegation of the Police  
Who Find Young Men at Road-  
House and Arrest Them

A series of burglaries on the north  
side caused considerable excitement  
early this morning.

John Murphy's saloon was broken  
into about 1:30 this morning and \$10  
in change taken from the cash regis-  
ter besides a quantity of liquor, the  
amount of which has not been ascer-  
tained.

Fred Fluekiger's saloon at 433  
Avon street, was also broken into  
and \$2.50 in cash and a consid-  
erable quantity of liquor and cigars  
taken together with two pairs of  
clippers from the barbershop con-  
nected with the place.

Hans Kunberg, who owns a saloon  
at 515 Hagar street, sleeps in the  
rear of the saloon, and was awakened  
early this morning by a noise at the  
back door and thinking that it was  
an early customer, he called out,  
"Wait a minute," and jumped up  
and turned on the light. When he got  
to the door no one was there. He  
then looked at the clock and saw  
that it was 3:30. Evidently the same  
persons who broke into the other  
places tried to burglarize his place,  
but were scared away.

### Suspects Arrested.

Early this morning the police, who  
had been notified, surrounded Wolf's  
roadhouse and saloon and arrested  
Frank Shummers and Tracy Merrill,  
two well known characters on the  
North side, and it is said found a  
quantity of the stolen liquor on their  
persons. They were taken to the  
central station in the cab that they  
had hired to go on the "tear" with.

When interviewed this morning,  
Mr. Murphy said that he had closed  
up the saloon about 1 o'clock and  
called a cab to take him down town,  
where he took a Turkish bath. He  
and his bartender sleep upstairs over  
the saloon. The bartender who had  
gone to bed heard the noise, but  
thought that it was Murphy down-  
stairs, so he did not pay any atten-  
tion to it. When Officer Fitzsimons  
returned from the mid-  
night train he noticed that there  
was something wrong, so he no-  
tified the central station with the  
result stated above.

The burglars broke into Fluekig-  
er's place through the barbershop in  
the rear some time after 12 o'clock.  
Mr. Fluekiger said that he closed up  
a little after 11 and went home. The  
robbers evidently then tried to break  
into Kunberg's without success.

The men will probably be exam-  
ined this afternoon or tomorrow.

## NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Millinery opening at Mrs. Taylor's,  
811 Rose street, Sept. 16 and 17.

Order Gold Medal Flour if your folks are  
pernickily about their victuals. SALLY ANN.  
Mr. and Mrs. Michael McCarthy,  
223 Market street, are the parents of  
a baby girl.

Mrs. John Schweikert entertained  
yesterday at cards in honor of her  
birthday. Refreshments were served  
and a pleasant afternoon spent by  
those present.

Mrs. Zeno Host returned to her  
home in Milwaukee after visiting  
Mrs. Barbara Gleason.

The La Crosse Womans' club will  
hold a special meeting tomorrow af-  
ternoon at Mrs. B. E. Bice's resi-  
dence.

John Whipple has secured a posi-  
tion at the La Crosse Rug company.  
E. Refs and Joseph Stockman re-  
turned from Caledonia, where they  
have been visiting.

Mrs. Peter Weiner of Kane street  
will entertain the Sewing circle of the  
German Lutheran church tomorrow  
afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McLaughren left  
for St. Paul, where they were called  
by the death of Mr. McLaughren's  
brother-in-law, James Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Ward left to-  
day for a visit at St. Paul.

Oscar Rupp left for a visit with  
friends at Winona.

Will DeSautell has resigned his po-  
sition on the "Q" and will leave to-  
day for Baltimore, where he will at-  
tend a medical school. He will be  
accompanied by his mother, Mrs. De  
Sautelle, who will visit in the east.

Miss Irene Sloan entertained on  
Thursday in honor of Miss Witten-  
berg, who left yesterday for Lemon,  
S. D. She was presented with a  
beautiful bracelet.

## A word about the Fall and Winter Models in Men's Fine Clothes

**W**E are now showing the new Kuppenheimer styles  
for men; styles of authority every one, direct from  
The House of Kuppenheimer.

They are unusual models in the way clothes should  
be unusual—unusually good.

They are not extreme—and they are not sombre.

There is correct style-certainty to each model, which  
should be mighty satisfying to the man who respects his  
appearance, and who realizes that an error in clothes—like  
an error in conduct—reflects directly against the individual.

They are the sort of clothes that are made for men who  
have good judgment when it comes to quality, and good  
taste when it comes to selecting patterns, shades and fabrics.

There are enough of such men in this city to have en-  
abled us to build up a splendid business on this line of goods;  
a trade sustained, mind you, not by the common demand, but  
by the uncommon demand of those who know best and  
reason most clearly, who know what they want, who know  
values and insist upon getting them.

We know you'll be interested in seeing the new models.

## PETER NEWBURG

La Crosse's Largest Clothing House

324-326 Pearl Street

## TWO NEW TRAINS ON THE ST. PAUL

INCREASED SERVICE STARTED  
YESTERDAY

## EXTRA PASSENGER TRAFFIC

Demands More Service and Trains  
are Added to Service on the  
River Division

For many weeks the roads run-  
ning through La Crosse have been  
so heavily burdened with traffic that  
they were obliged to make changes  
in their train schedule, adding new  
trains and more cars to the ones they  
are already running.

The Northwestern was the first to  
make recognition of this fact but  
they are quickly followed by a  
change of fully as great magnitude  
by the Milwaukee road. A letter  
was sent to the agents on the river  
division apprising them of a change  
which will take place on this division  
beginning tomorrow.

**Two New Trains**  
Two new local trains will be ad-  
ded to relieve through trains No. 1,  
northbound at 2:45 and No. 16  
southbound at 11:55. These trains

### CUT GLASS

The finest American Cut Glass,  
HAWKES  
Nappies \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75  
Berry Bowls, 8 inch, \$2.75, \$3.00,  
\$3.50.

W. T. IRVINE, 429 Main Street.  
Watches Clocks Silverware

have been loaded to the utmost every  
day and on account of the enormous  
load have only with the greatest dif-  
ficulty been able to make schedule  
time, often requiring two engines to  
make any time at all.

These two through trains will be  
run on practically the same schedule  
as before with the exception that  
they will make but two or three  
stops between La Crosse and the  
Twin cities. Each of them will be  
preceded by a new local train, which  
will leave each of the terminal points  
mentioned above, a half hour sooner  
than the through section leaving a  
half hour later but making so few  
stops, the through trains will catch  
the locals at the opposite terminal  
and they will there be consolidated.

### Great Convenience

The new local southbound train  
will be known as No. 16, and will  
leave Minneapolis at 7:40 a. m., and  
will be overtaken by through  
train No. 6 which leaves Minneapolis  
at 8:00 a. m. At La Crosse the two  
trains will be consolidated and will  
be run east on the regular schedule.

Local passenger northbound will  
be known as No. 15, and will leave  
La Crosse at 2:45 a. m., and will be  
overtaken at Minneapolis at 8 o'clock  
by through train No. 1 which will  
leave La Crosse at 3:10 a. m. and  
will carry no local passengers on the  
river division.

### Order Received.

The order received by the local  
passenger agent reads as follows:

To Agents:  
"A new passenger train schedule  
on the river division will be effective  
Monday, Sept. 14. As the figures  
are not at hand in this office you  
should get a copy of working card at  
earliest possible moment or ask your  
superintendent for time of trains at  
your station."

"Northbound train No. 1, arriv-  
ing at Winona at 4:02 a. m., will be  
made into two trains at La Crosse,  
the coach train No. 15 to leave La  
Crosse at 2:45 a. m.; the sleeping  
car train will run as No. 1, leaving  
North La Crosse at 3:10 a. m., and  
will not carry local passengers on the  
river division. No. 15 will arrive at  
Winona at 3:42 a. m. St. Paul at

7:05 a. m., Minneapolis at 7:50 a.  
m. No. 1 will arrive at Winona at  
4:02 and at St. Paul at 7:25 a. m.,  
and Minneapolis at 8 a. m.

Southbound new No. 16 will run  
as a local passenger train from Min-  
neapolis to South La Crosse, making  
all stops, and leaving Minneapolis at  
7:40 a. m., and St. Paul at 8:15 a.  
m. No. 6 will leave Minneapolis at  
8:00 a. m., St. Paul at 8:45 a. m.,  
and Winona as usual, stopping only  
on river division at Hastings, Red  
Wing, Lake City, Wabasha and Win-  
ona and reaching La Crosse on time  
of present No. 6, where it will be  
consolidated with train No. 16. No  
change in schedule of present No. 6  
east of La Crosse. Trains Nos. 6 and  
16 will make connection at River  
Junction with Dubuque division  
train No. 4.

"Train No. 8, La Crosse division,  
will leave La Crosse at 6:20 a. m.,  
daily, with corresponding change at  
other stations. Viroqua line train  
No. 503 will connect with No. 8 at  
Sparta. Complete time-tables will  
be sent at earliest possible moment.  
Yours truly,  
"F. A. MILLER, G. P. A."

### PORTLAND HAS BAD FIRE.

SACO, Maine, Sept. 15.—The  
worst fire that visited the state  
since the \$1,000,000 blaze at Port-  
land, was brought under control at  
9 o'clock today, after \$500,000 dam-  
age. Eighty-five tenement houses  
are in ruins, 9,000,000 feet of lum-  
ber has been destroyed, and 600 per-  
sons are homeless.

When you are the company of a  
man of 50, don't say: "O, dear; I am  
becoming old; I passed 40 the other  
day."

### BAR AND BEAUTY PINS

Gold filled. Guaranteed 20 years.  
35c per Pair.

Beautiful designs.  
W. T. IRVINE, 429 Main Street.  
Watches Diamonds Jewelry

## BURLINGTON ROAD IMPROVING BRIDGES

TWO FIXED UP IN LA CROSSE AT  
BIG EXPENSE

## OTHER DIVISION REPAIRS

All Work Is Being Rushed, but Men  
Are Scarce at the Present Time,  
Say Officials

The Burlington road is rushing all  
road work, in order to get things  
ready for winter. The bridge work  
especially is being rushed to comple-  
tion as fast as possible. The com-  
pany has expended a considerable  
sum in this line during the past  
year. The La Crosse river concrete  
bridge which was finished August 10,  
cost the company about \$19,000 and  
required nearly a year to build it.  
The company will also enlarge the  
bridge on the Gund brewery side-  
track as soon as the material ar-  
rives.

The largest bridge to be built this  
year on this division is the Wind  
River bridge which is between Dia-  
mond Bluff and Prescott. This  
bridge, which will be concrete, is  
about one-fourth finished and will  
cost in the neighborhood of \$21,000  
when completed. The Trimbelle  
bridge between Hagar and Diamond  
Bluff is just about finished now at a  
cost of nearly \$6,000.

The company is rushing all the  
small work to completion and is hir-  
ing men wherever possible. They say  
that they cannot obtain men in La  
Crosse and are forced to look else-  
where. This is probably due to the  
fact that a great many men are now  
at work on farms or else they have  
succeeded in landing steady jobs that  
will last through the entire winter.

## CITY WILL ARREST ILLEGAL DUMPERS

HEALTH DEPARTMENT STARTS  
A VIGOROUS CAMPAIGN

## CHARLES NACK IS ARRESTED

Draymen Will Be Given Hearing for  
Placing Refuse on Forbidden  
Ground

Health Officer Anthony Murphy this  
morning swore out a warrant for the  
arrest of Charles Nack, a city dray-  
man. Nack is charged with dump-  
ing refuse near the corner of Elev-  
enth and Grove streets, which is in  
direct violation of the orders of the  
health department. He will be ar-  
raigned late this afternoon or tomor-  
row morning.

"We have just started our cam-  
paign against the violators of the  
ordinance for municipal cleanliness  
and public health," said the health  
officer this morning. "Yesterday Al-  
bert Haller was fined \$1 and costs  
for violating the ordinance, and we  
intend to arrest and fine every vi-  
olator. They have been notified sev-  
eral times regarding the dumping of  
refuse about the city and have not  
heeded our requests. Signs have  
been stationed at all the dumping  
places in the city and other posters  
distributed at various districts in  
the city. This has failed to impress  
them and we now will arrest and  
take all the violators into court."

## ESCH APPOINTS NEW POSTMASTER

R. R. Wood has been appointed,  
through Congressman John J. Esch,  
as postmaster at Wyville, Monroe  
county, Wis.



This is the week for low prices

## California Peaches Michigan Grapes

JOHN C. BURNS FRUIT HOUSE

### PERSONALS

**FORD**—The Car of Quality.  
Oscar Doering and wife have returned from a two weeks' visit in Milwaukee and Rock Island.

Mrs. C. N. Neprud of Coon Valley came to La Crosse Friday and will reside here through the winter.

Laura and Clara Role have returned to the city after spending their vacations with relatives and friends at Coon Valley.

Christ Hanson, who is employed on the new Y. M. S. A. building, spent Sunday and Monday at his home in Coon Valley.

Healthy kidneys filter the impurities from the blood, and unless they do this good health is impossible. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidney and bladder disease. It strengthens the whole system. O. T. Erhart.

J. G. Brooks of Davenport are the guests of friends in the city for a few days.

J. T. Owen has returned to his home in Union after transacting business in the city.

P. Peterson of Mindoro was a business caller in the city for a few days.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Olaf Omsrud has returned to the city after visiting with friends and relatives in Pigeon.

Elmer Hegg of Whitehall underwent an operation for appendicitis at a local hospital Thursday and is reported to be recovering rapidly.

The only flour I ever had any luck with is Gold Medal Flour. LUCINDA.

Misses Matilda and Olive Vinge of Spring Grove are the guests of friends in the city.

O. H. Miller of Caledonia was in the city yesterday visiting friends.

Christ Peterson is spending a few weeks in the city with his parents.

H. Jensen of Stoddard was a business caller in the city for a few days.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Mrs. Hans Kastad has returned to her home in Hale after visiting for some time with her daughter in the city.

Miss Lena Ostby is the guest of Mrs. Ole Brown at Preston.

Miss Emma Thurston of Blair is in the city attending the fall term of the Wisconsin Business university.

Edward Nestingen, who has been working in the city, is spending a few days with relatives and friends at Coon Valley.

Hack calls promptly attended to. Phone 179 Gateway City Trlr Line.

Culvert Dammum was a caller in the city Tuesday, returning to his home in Coon Valley on the evening train.

Settles Ofte of Coon Valley was in the city visiting friends Saturday.

Miss Mabel Hagen has returned to her home in the city after spending several weeks with Miss Minnie Neprud at Coon Valley.

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. O. T. Erhart.

Marie Henry of Sparta visited relatives and friends in the city over Sunday.

Stella Knutson of Sparta spent Saturday with friends in the city.

Mrs. R. B. Berg returned to the city Friday after spending a few days with friends at Sparta.

The Sparta high school opened for the fall term Monday morning with an enrollment of 206 pupils.

G. S. Schroeder of Sparta spent Sunday as the guest of relatives and friends in La Crosse.

L. S. Fisher of Sparta visited with relatives and friends in the city over Sunday.

All persons desiring to make exhibits at the fair are requested to make their entry at once at the office of W. J. Fries, No. 328 Pearl street, and thus avoid the rush at the fair grounds.

George E. Taylor was the guest of friends in Sparta Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Miss Cora Priscorn is the guest of the Oertel family at Bostwick Valley this week.

Jay Paddock spent Sunday with friends at Caledonia.

William Drips of Rochester, Minn., was in the city Sunday as the guest of Russell Stormont. He returned to his home yesterday morning.

Geo. F. Flynn was the guest of relatives and friends in Caledonia Sunday.

W. D. Belden of Caledonia was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

Bernard McConville spent Sunday at his home in Caledonia.

Andrew Gilbertson, proprietor of the Mecca, has returned from a visit throughout the Dakotas. Mr. Gilbertson is very much pleased with the west and is especially loud in his applause for the hotel service in that part of the country.

Mrs. J. E. Kerr, who submitted to an operation at the La Crosse hospital, has returned to her home 503 South South street.

Miss A. Laugaari, 408 North Fourteenth street, has returned from a two weeks' vacation at Milwaukee.

Mrs. F. R. Hartwell has left for Butte, Mont., and other points along the Milwaukee road extension. She expects to be gone several weeks.

Misses Henrietta and Catherine Martindale have gone to Northampton, Mass., to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Webster have returned to their home in Minneapolis after visiting friends in the city.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Dun-

\$1000.00

Given for any substance injurious to health found in food resulting from the use of

Calumet  
Baking  
Powder



### CITY NEWS

**INSPECT SITE.**—The county school board, composed of J. L. Pettigill and Messrs. Boles and Olman, together with a representative of the Milwaukee Construction company, were in Onalaska yesterday afternoon looking over the Agricultural school site in view of starting the work.

**SUSPECTS HELD.**—Men suspected of robbing the Choate store in Winona some months ago are being held in Dakota, awaiting identification.

**STEAMER DAMAGED.**—The steamer Eloise, well known in local waters, was damaged by fire in the Keokuk, Iowa, harbor, last week. The loss was not great and was covered by insurance.

**STABBED.**—One of the Dearman brothers of Dakota alleges his father stabbed him in the back during an affray last week. He went to Winona in search of a warrant.

**PAUL CAIN IS IMPROVING.**—Paul Cain, the farmer residing near Brownsville, who was injured by falling from a load of hay at the Palmer livery barn, is improving at the St. Francis hospital and expects to be able to be about in a few weeks.

**BASS PLENTIFUL.**—Edward Newburg, William and Otto Wodzinski and Harold Cummings returned yesterday from Stoddard, where they enjoyed a fishing trip at the Wodzinski summer resort. They returned with a fine string of black bass.

**JUDGE LEES VERY LOW.**—Word has been received in the city of the serious illness of Judge Robert Lees, of Alma, father of Andrew Lees of this city. Judge Lees was formerly state senator and is well known over the entire state.

**FIRE IN FLAT.**—A mysterious fire was discovered in the Law flat on Cass street last evening and before the firemen could get the fire under way it had entailed a loss of \$500. The loss was sustained largely by a family by the name of Gibbons who rented the flat.

**START WORK ON EXTENSION.**—Work has been started with a rush by the Street Railway company on the extension out Main street and the company will rush the work in order to have it completed for the Interstate Fair next week.

**BROKER FIRM FAILS.**

**POLITICAL HERO OF REPUBLICAN PARTY**

(Continued from page 1.)

the state of Illinois. Mr. Cullom was elected city attorney. He practiced his profession for the succeeding 10 years until he was elected to the house of representatives in 1865.

During this ten years of legal practice he served his state, first as presidential elector on the Fillmore ticket and then as a member of the house of representatives of the Illinois legislature. His work in the legislature gained him such confidence that he was then sent to Washington and in the forty-first congress made a name for himself of which he may well be proud. When it came time for the great republican convention at Philadelphia, in 1872, Shelby Cullom was the man who was placed at the head of the Illinois delegation and to him was given the honor of placing General Grant in nomination. Four years later he was elected governor of Illinois and succeeded himself for a second term.

This he filled continuously until he resigned to take a seat in the United States senate to succeed David Davis, independent democrat, where he has sat ever since. Last year he was again returned to the senate, so that he is apt to hold his seat until death calls him to the reward of his life's work.

It was Shelby Cullom who prepared a series of laws for the Hawaiian islands and these have proven the quality of his constructive ability.

Senator Cullom has just moved to this city from Springfield and has done it with the avowed purpose of raising republican enthusiasm over the state of Illinois. Shelby Cullom is universally loved and his devotion to his party and party politics at his advanced period in life, when most men seek retirement and seclusion, places him in the annals of political history as a sterling fighter and the hero of the republican party.

lap of St. Paul, a son, Mrs. Dunlap was formerly Miss Gertrude Parks of this city.

Bert Clifford is in the city for a few days, visiting old acquaintances.

Dr. Fraser, son of Postoffice Inspector E. E. Fraser, has given up his practice at Melrose and will establish an office in La Crosse.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Schroeder and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Scherhart have returned from a week's outing at the Schaller cottage south of the city.

### SOCIETY

**PLEASANT GATHERING**  
A very pleasant gathering occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiekert, 519 Jackson street, Sunday afternoon and evening, in honor of the latter's sisters, Mrs. John Karse of Winnipeg, Canada, and Miss Katherine Peter of St. Paul. A dainty supper was served at 5 o'clock and the occasion was a thoroughly enjoyable one. The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames William Stritt, Ed Gurdell, Mackman, Frank Branson, Jr., Mrs. Katherine Weigel and children, Miss Margaret, Alvin, Joseph and Arthur Oberliners.

**AT THE COUNTRY CLUB**  
Mrs. Van Steenwyk entertained 24 ladies at a luncheon yesterday at the Country club.

**A FAREWELL DINNER**  
Albert Maurer gave a dinner Saturday evening at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Maurer. It was in the nature of a farewell to the young people who are leaving this week for their various schools and colleges. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. D. G. McMillan, who assisted during the evening's entertainment. After dinner a Victor talking machine made things lively for a while. Cards were played till the breaking up hour. Mrs. MacMillan and Mr. Joe Fowler took the high prizes and Miss Gertrude Smith and Homer Davis the low ones. The guests were the Misses Helen Scofield, Gertrude Smith, Lillian Walters, Mary Anderson, Margaret Farnham, Margaret Crosby, Messrs. Hoomie and Harold Davis, Allen Warner, Edward Burnham, Whitman Foster, Glenn Traer, Joe Fowler, Merle Savage and Albert Maurer.

**BRIDGE**  
Mrs. W. A. Powell and Mrs. A. F. Reitzel will entertain tomorrow at bridge at the home of Mrs. Powell on Main street.

**SOCIAL BRIEFS**  
Miss Nannie Colwell leaves tonight for Kattanning, Pa., to visit relatives. Miss Marion Dorset will accompany her as far as Chicago, where she will spend a few weeks with friends.

Mrs. Hiram Goddard took a party to Pickwick yesterday in the Thomas flyer.

Miss Jane Ennison of Rushford is visiting friends in the city.

### RECRUITING OFFICER SURPRISES FRIENDS

Sergeant Robert Shaw, of the local recruiting office surprised his friends by going to Chicago two months ago and wedding Miss Rachael Quinn of Freehold, N. J. The ceremony was performed July 9th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McCauley, former residents of La Crosse. They took a wedding trip through the east and then Sergt. Shaw returned to La Crosse. Last week Mrs. Shaw came to Chicago and met her husband, both coming here Monday. Sergeant Shaw is one of the best known of the recruiting officers of the northwest.

### STEEL WORKER BATH INJURED

Earnest Templeman, aged 22, a steel worker employed by the Sterling Construction company of Milwaukee in the new Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon fell from the top of the building to a pile of rocks and debris and sustained probably fatal

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### POSSIBILITY OF DONALD ROBERTSON BEING BROUGHT HERE

An opportunity has arisen whereby local theater goers, as well as those particularly identified with the artistic and literary circles, may avail themselves of the opportunity of securing one of the really big attractions among this season's offerings. Reference is made to Donald Robertson, and his company of players, one of the really superior acting organizations, either in this country, or England today. Mr. Robertson has been better known to the theatrical centers of London, New York and Chicago for the past few years, although before that time he was prominent as the leading support of such actors as Dion Boucicault, Lester Wallack and Kate Claxton. In London he was interested in the productions of Forbes Robertson and John Hare. Aside from a single starring tour in this country in the nineties in "Don Caesar" and the "Scarlet Letter," his energies were confined to work abroad. Returning to Chicago a few years ago to produce an Ibsen repertoire for Mary Shaw, he was received with such success that he determined to establish an independent producing theater in this great city of the central

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west. Last season his hopes were in part realized; he achieved the destination of over hundred performances in a repertory on some seventeen plays at the Garrick theatre, and Music Hall, Chicago. His most distinguished successes were Moliere's "Miser," Giacosa's "The Leaves," and Goldoni's "A Curious Mishap," as well as Ibsen's "Rosmerholm." Such critics as James O'Donnell Bennett in the Record-Herald, compared him as a producer to Mansfield and Henry Irving, and he was declared to be doing more for the American stage today than any other living actor. This season he opens his activities with the greatest honor ever paid an actor in America. The directors of the Art Institute in Chicago have offered him in recognition of his services to the drama the privilege of playing thirty nights in the magnificent Art Institute building on Michigan boulevard. There among all that is representative of what is truly artistic in the west, Mr. Robertson will go forward to new and greater heights of achievement than ever before. He opened a preliminary season on the 10th of August in Chicago, at Ravinia Park, with the first American production of John Milton's Mask of "Comus. No English poet stands higher than Milton, and his Mask of "Comus" is one of the finest contributions to dramatic literature. This will be Mr. Robertson's big production for the season, and will call for a company of thirty actors, singers and dancers. As an indication of its calibre it is merely necessary to mention the names of William F. Owen, the noted Shakespearean star, Alice Johns, Marion Pedlich, Herman Lieb, and others. Mr. Robertson will of course appear in the title role of the play. The original music by Sir Lawes and Dr. Arne will be used, and in every way the revival will command the highest respect and admiration. A star of Mr. Robertson's importance, with a production of such magnitude cannot be brought to on mere chance. If the theater goers of this city care to have him, however, it lies within their power. They have merely to signify their intention of supporting Mr. Robertson in numbers sufficiently encouraging to bring him here. Managers Gage and Wohlbuter are now arranging a list of subscribers, and if those who feel interested bringing a big and artistic attraction to La Crosse will lend their support it can be made an assured event.

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Not a Hard Job, Perhaps (to Read Committeemen's Minds), But He Has a Marvelous Power

Blindfolded and directed only by mental telepathy, Svingali, who is appearing at the Bijou theater this week, at noon today successfully performed a startling demonstration of his mysterious arts when he found a small coin, hidden by a committee, in much less time than it took the committee to hide it.

At a few minutes after 12 o'clock a committee composed of City Treasurer George W. Young, City Clerk Joseph W. Siegler, W. S. Meiklejohn, manager of the Fay Lewis Brothers Company, Constable Louis Omerberg, C. A. Worth for the Leader-Press, and W. V. Kidder for The Tribune, entered a hack at the Bijou theater. They drove by a circuitous route, south on Third to Pearl, east on Pearl to Fourth, south on Fourth to Jay, east on Jay to Fifth, north on Fifth to Main, and east on Main to the Woodward Supply company's store. Here the entire committee left the vehicle and proceeding into the store went into the balcony where Constable Omerberg hid a rare and valuable coin (known as the penny) under the green velvet cushion of a mahogany parlor chair. This was viewed by the entire committee and the committeemen then returned to the theater by way of Main street to Third and South on Third to the theater.

Upon arrival at the theater Svingali, who had been thoroughly blindfolded by one of the committee at the beginning, leaped to the driver's seat and sitting between Messrs. Meiklejohn and Omerberg, drove rapidly over the same route to Parker's jewelry store, which is just opposite the Woodward Supply company's store. Here he left the hack, and, hesitating, went toward the door of the jewelry store. Suddenly turning he grasped the hands of two of the committeemen and asking that they concentrate their minds on the location of the hidden object rushed across the street pulling the committeemen after him, into the Woodward store and directly to the spot where the coin was hidden. Here he again hesitated and placing his hands upon the head of one of the committeemen asked that he think hard. This operation upon the part of the committeeman, however, seemed to confuse Svingali, and he grasped the hand of one of the others. The next moment his hands were slipping over the velvet cushion, and raising it he drew forth the coin.

Returning to the hack the committee men were all asked to get inside and occupying the drivers seat alone and still blindfolded Svingali drove back to the theater. In returning he missed the route a trifle, driving from Main to Pearl on Fourth, down Pearl to Third and thence to the theater instead of via Main and Third, the route taken by the committee. In his driving Svingali was rapid and with marvelous dexterity avoided all rigs, street cars and other traffic in the streets. The feat is considered marvelous and attracted a large amount of attention, crowds lining the streets at the theater and at the end of the journey. Svingali is at the Bijou this week and is giving a remarkable—not to say weird—demonstration of mental telepathy and other arts little known to the average layman.

If hard to please, you will like Satin skin powder and Satin skin cream. 25c.

### CLARK MAY MAKE FIGHT ON CUMMINS

DES MOINES, Iowa, Sept. 15.—E. E. Clark of Cedar Rapids, member of the interstate commission, will probably be selected by the stand patters today to race against Cummins for the republican nomination for senator. Clark was formerly grand chief of the O. R. C. and was appointed by Roosevelt as a member of the commission that settled the anthracite coal strike.

### HETZENECKER PAYS FINE AND COSTS

Mike Hetzenecker was this morning arraigned in police court before Judge Hunt on the charge of fighting and disorderly conduct in the saloon of Paul Spah Fourth and Badger streets, Sunday evening and was fined \$5 and costs. His brother, Joe Hetzenecker, who was arraigned on a similar charge, was dismissed. The former paid his fine.

### CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends for their kindness and for their sympathy extended us in our late sorrow and loss.

MRS. PETER SCHLABACH and Family.

### HERMAN RUNKE DIES AT MENDOTA

Herman Runke, brother of Carl Runke, died at Mendota Sunday afternoon. The remains were taken to the home of his brother, Carl Runke, of 925 Redfield street, where the funeral will take place at 2:30 to-morrow and from the Germany Lutheran church at 3 p. m. Deceased leaves a widow and six children to mourn his loss. Interment will take place in Oak Grove cemetery. Rev. J. Gamm will officiate and Mrs. Theo. Mannstedt is in charge.

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Fast Horses Are Being Signed Up for the Races and Van Auken Is Pleased With Prospect

That the exposition building at the fair will be chiefly an exhibition for "La Crosse made goods" is shown today by the announcement made by Secretary C. S. Van Auken to the effect that out of all of the booths that have been let, but two have been given to outside firms.

"The exposition building will be a 'home product fair' in itself," said Secretary C. S. Van Auken today. "The La Crosse manufacturers and the business men of the city have taken a good interest in the fair this year and many of them are at the grounds now decorating their booths. The exhibition of home products is to be something great."

Fast Horses Here.  
There are also to be some fast horses at the fair this week, and William Cutura, one of the best known racing men on the fair circuits, is here with a string of four fast horses. He will remain here until the opening of the fair working out the horses.

Secretary Van Auken also received this morning the entries of three fast horses from Chicago, but the names will not be given out until after the completion of the race card for the week.

Igorrotte Village Too.  
The advance agent for the Igorrotte village, R. J. Woods, was in the city this morning and secured space for his big attraction. A space 150 x 90 feet has been leased by Mr. Woods. This is to be enclosed by a canvas wall ten feet high.

### TAFT ITINERARY GROWS.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 15.—Taft's itinerary is growing. The pleas of state chairmen for his services has caused Hitchcock to add thousands of miles to the speaking junkets if Taft will acquiesce. North and South Dakota and Colorado have been added tentatively to the western campaign. The full itinerary may be completed before Saturday. Hitchcock and Chairman Dixon will bring the draft to Taft for approval. Taft has also been asked to cover the Ohio river district especially. Another state trip he is asked to make is to the lake by one route and return by another.

Savage Warrior—I have come to inform you that the cannibal king says he will eat your wife in a few minutes. Mr. Henpeck—Well, there's one consolation—I'll bet she'll disagree with him. She always did with me.

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## BRYAN DRUBS TAFT; LATTER WON'T TALK; SILVER IS OUT OF IT

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and voted for the free coinage of silver. He said the monetary condition had improved wholly because of the increase in the supply of gold, and not because of any republican legislation.

Challenges Judge Taft.  
Mr. Bryan concluded by making a specific demand that Mr. Taft define his position on the tariff, labor, trust and other issues. "Will Taft explain his record on the labor question and his silence on the tariff and trust questions during his official service in Washington?" asked Bryan.

Bryan Is Pleased.  
Bryan today is invading New Jersey. He is convinced after his experience that he will get the electoral vote of Maryland. He left at noon for Washington Park, N. J., on the Delaware river, where it is estimated that fully 40,000 gathered to hear him.

## MAINE STATE HAS GONE REPUBLICAN BY THIN MAJORITY

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led me to anticipate the large gains made by the democrats. Maine always has been recognized as a hide-bound republican state, and the returns from there indicate more clearly than anything I can say that the sentiment of the people is thoroughly aroused for the cause of democracy.

"What has happened in Maine clearly forecasts what will be the outcome in other states at the coming election, and I am more confident than ever that Mr. Bryan will be elected."

## NO DEMOCRATIC GOVERNOR SLATED

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Despite the conferences which extended into this morning the democratic leaders have not yet agreed upon a candidate for governor. As other minor nominations depend on the head of the ticket, it means the state is still in the air. One thing seems certain, Murphy, the Tammany leader, absolutely controls the convention, and although Chairman Connors is still talking of the nomination of Lieut. Governor Chanler, there is a less positive note. A dark horse it is said will be named at the appropriate moment. Justice J. W. Gerard of New York is being named by some for the honor.

The discussion of the state platform of the leaders today and considerable progress has been made in shaping the first rough draft, which was brought here by Daniel Cohalan, form is occupying part of the time Tammany's grand sashem. As a basis, Bryan and the Denver platform will be endorsed. The planks on labor, injunctions and guarantee of bank deposits will be incorporated in the state platform. Hughes will be condemned for the veto of the two cent rate bill and the five cent Coney Island fare. It will be a declaration in favor of personal liberty, but the rack track laws will not be specifically referred to.

The convention convened at noon. Morgan J. O'Brien was chosen temporary chairman. After the opening speech, which dealt largely with local issues and the appointment of committees and the preliminary work of organization, the convention adjourned until tomorrow at 10.

## ANOTHER MILLION BOOTH PAPER FOUND

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—The discovery of about \$1,000,000 in additional liability, no mention of which, it is said, was made in the statements of 1907 and 1908, was the sensational development today in the investigation of the affairs of A. Booth & Co. This revelation was made when a hitherto unrecorded issue of commercial paper came to light, the presence of which was unknown even to those who supposed they had sounded the full depth of the company's financial difficulties. It may bring the total liabilities of the concern to nearer \$7,000,000 than \$6,000,000.

For Criminal Prosecution  
The announcement of this startling find intensified the feeling that radical measures in the war on fraud in the financing of business enterprises be adopted.

## GOLD WEDDING; TURN ON THE GAS

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Victor and Louisa Tresch, an aged couple who only a week ago celebrated their golden wedding, were found dead from gas back of their little shop in Williamsburg. Gas tubes were fastened in the mouths of both and they were clasped in each other's arms.

A week ago Saturday the devoted pair had celebrated their golden wedding. The celebration, however, had been too much for the old lady, and on Tuesday she fell ill. A doctor said she had an even chance of recovery, but that her age was against her. When the old man heard this he declared that he would never live a day after Louisa's death.

He shut his little shop and nursed his sick wife day and night. The only message the couple left was written on a card and read: "Telephone to Edward Tray, 3221 Thirty-eighth street."

## DOUBLE WEDDING AT COURT HOUSE

A double wedding took place at Judge Brindley's office in the court house this afternoon when Miss Adeline Johnson became the wife of Elmer Wead and Miss Maud Sample was married to Mr. Ray Wead. The grooms are brothers. All live in La Crosse county.

## ELKS OPEN FALL SEASON OCT. 6TH

EXALTED RULER GATTERDAM SECURES "TROUBADOURS"

### FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS

Musical and Literary Entertainment Will Be Given in Elks' Hall and Club Early Next Month

The fall entertainment season of the B. P. O. Elks will be opened October 6 in this city by the appearance here of the Troubadours Amusement company in a musical and literary entertainment. Dr. E. A. Gatterdam, exalted ruler, has completed arrangements for the entertainment, which will be given in Elks' hall, over the Elks' club. The entertainment promises to be of unusual interest and will be for members of the order and their families and friends.

The Troubadours offer a strong entertaining company of artists. Miss Emily Murray will be with the company as reader and manager, assisted by the famous Troubadours string orchestra. Extended tours have been made successfully in the past five seasons. Its successes have been many and the company is widely known in the western states, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska and the Dakotas contribute largely to the long season of dates and engagements. In presenting this company to the general public the management assures an evening of pleasure to its patrons. The programs presented include humorous readings, dramatic sketches, stories, imitations and monologues. Musical numbers provide solos for violin, harp and flute, quartettes and duets.

The entertainers are spoken of as follows:

Emily Murray entertains with selections from popular authors, short stories, humorous characterizations of quaint and strange people, brisk and bright monologues. An entertainer who knows how to entertain. Michael Briglia, a violinist who plays with an artist's technique, musical director of the orchestra and soloist. Nichol Briglia, an innovation strong in his tone from the most delightful of instruments, the flute. An artist musically both in orchestra and as soloist. John Varallo, special engagement for this season as violinist. Extensive travel at home and abroad a universal favorite. The public demand such artists. Michael Varallo, harpist and soloist. The instrument itself beautiful to look upon and the artist delightful to listen to. A feature of the Troubadours concert program.

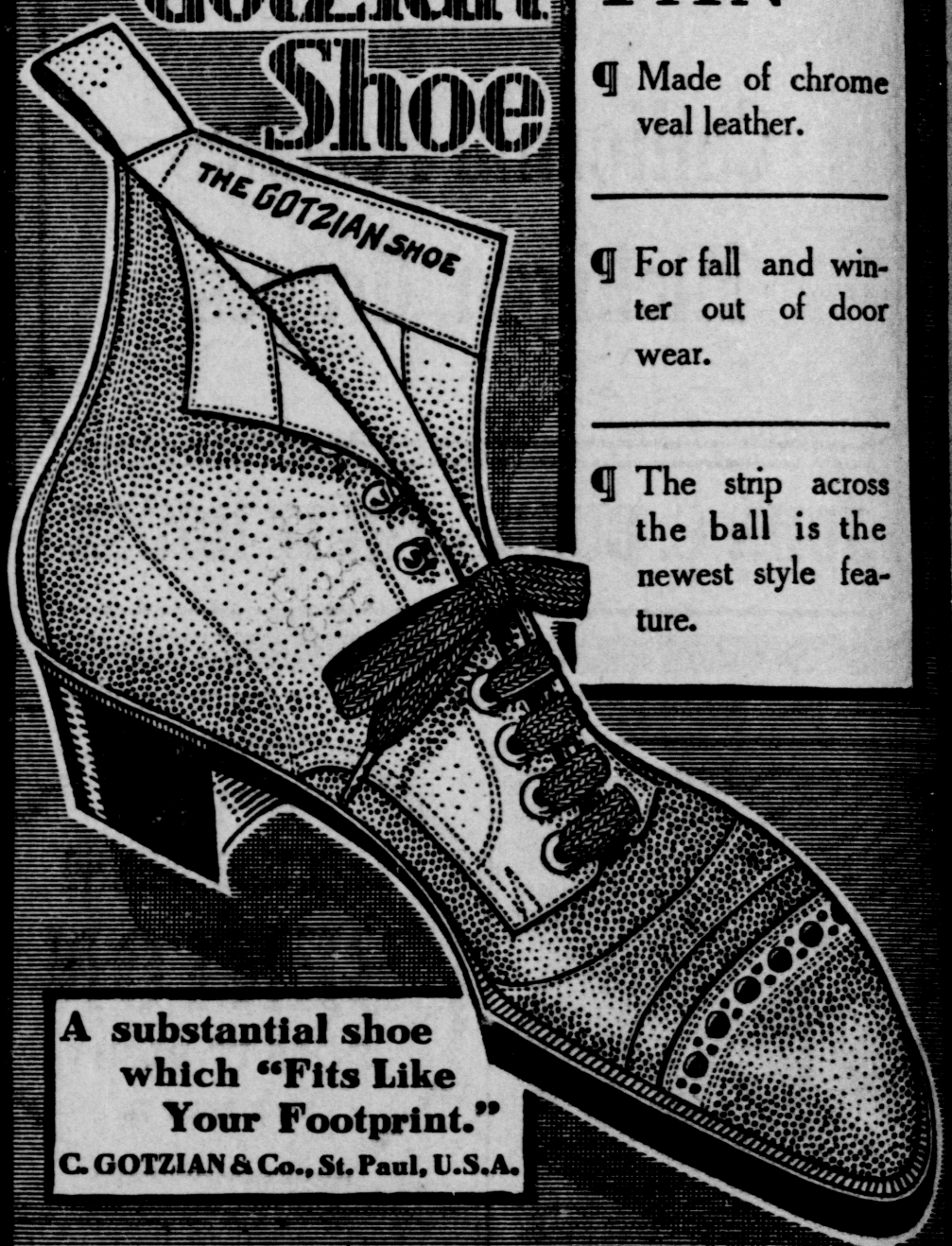
A Specimen Program.  
While the entertainers have not as yet sent in their official program for the Elks' entertainment, the following is a specimen of their programs, sent to the La Crosse lodge:

PART I.  
Light Cavalry (Suppe)—Overture.  
Resignation, Ch. Dunela, op. 59—Michael Briglia.

Selection—A. The Overland Mail (Kipling); b. My Rival (Kipling); c. Picnic Time (Field)—Emily Murray.

The Minstrel's Adieu to His Native Land—Michael Varallo.  
Poet and Peasant (Suppe)—Orchestra.

PART II.  
Scenes from "Silas Marner" (Geo. Elliot)—Emily Murray.  
"La Favorite," violin and flute (Donizetti)—Michael and Nichol Briglia.  
Character Sketches, selected—Emily Murray.  
My Pretty Rose (Beyer)—Nichol Briglia.  
Selection—It Happened in Nordland (Victor Herbert)—Orchestra.



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| <p><b>HEARST INVADERS DAKOTA</b></p> <p>SIoux FALLS, S. D., Sept. 15.—That Hearst's independence party will invade the state and place upon the ballot a full congressional and state ticket was announced today. The republicans are delighted, declaring that Hearst will draw practically all his strength from the democrats, who four years ago were instructed for Hearst for president. Hearst and Higsen will speak here and at Yankton October 14.</p> | <p><b>DYNAMITE CAR BLOWS UP</b></p> <p>SEDALIA, Mo., Sept. 15.—One killed, one blinded and a dozen injured, some perhaps fatally, is the result of the explosion of giant powder at Windsor, near here, at noon today. The M. K. T. train was standing in front of the station at the time of the explosion. F. Yates, agent, was killed outright; F. Hall, drayman, blinded, and his father, George Hall, fatally hurt.</p> |
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## FEW CHANGES IN LA CROSSE DISTRICT

With the exception of the appointment of a successor to Rev. J. W. Irish, who has been appointed presiding elder of the Ashland district, was announced yesterday, and a successor to Rev. Woods of the Caledonia Street M. E. church, there are no changes of importance in the La Crosse district.

The following is the list of appointments made by Bishop Neeley for the La Crosse district:

La Crosse district, W. H. Vance, district superintendent, La Crosse; Alma Center and Socherville, F. O. Hesse; Black River Falls, L. E. Hoisington; Cataract, to be supplied; De Soto, A. D. Moore; Eleva, J. S. Smallwood; Elroy, W. W. Hurd; Fairchild, A. B. Scoville; Galesville,

A. B. Klein; Humbird, E. A. Smith; Ironton, A. E. Friedrich; Kendalls and Glendale, J. B. Braddock; La Crosse, Caledonia Street, A. V. Ingham; First church, to be supplied; West Avenue, W. P. Cunningham; F. L. Hart; Lindsey and Pittsville, J. H. Daniels; Mauston, E. Harris; Melrose, L. W. McKibbin; Merrillan, B. C. Sills; Mondovi, J. H. Anderson; Necedah, E. D. Upson; Neillsville, W. P. Burrows; New Lisbon, R. C. Russell; Onalaska, L. B. Colman; Reedsburg, J. E. Kundert; Rockland, Ernest E. Horth; Sparta, L. A. Brenner; Springville, M. V. Jacobs; Stoddard, William MacAuley; Tomah, W. E. Boeticher; Tomah circuit, A. H. Shanley; Trempealeau, George E. Mills; Tunnel City, James Knight; Viroqua, C. E. Butters; Valley Junction, J. B. O'Connors; Wilton and Norwalk, M. H. Haller; Whitehall and Arcadia, Arthur Chalfant; Wenewoc, Gilbert Deniston.

## GENERAL KING ENDS W. N. G. CONNECTION

FAMOUS OFFICER WELL KNOWN HERE TO RETIRE

### LA CROSSE MILITIA REGRETS

Milwaukeean Often Visits This City on Tours of Inspection and is Popular With the Boys

Saturday marked the end of Gen. Charles King's connection with the Wisconsin National guard, to which he has been detailed for the last four years. As Gen. King will reach the age limit on October 12, it may be the last time that he will serve in connection with the state militia, although it is possible that the government may retain his services as its representative with the guard. There are five other men in the country who, although past the age limit, have been retained in this way.

Gen. King has been connected with the state militia for a long time, having taken hold of it when it was in an unsystematized state. Mainly through his supervision and direction it has been guided to the place it now occupies, ranking as one of the best state organizations in the United States and comparing favorably with the regular organization.

Gen. King received his schooling at the United States military academy, and he has served through two wars and several Indian fights.

He is popular with the La Crosse militiamen. He comes here frequently to inspect the companies, and has

## THREE DEMOCRATIC CLUBS ORGANIZED

BANGOR, BARRE AND 21ST WARD STARTERS

### DOHERTY EXPECTS SPEAKERS

County Chairman Will be Heard in a Few Days in Regard to Orators; Big Campaign Plans

Within a short time, under the direction of County Chairman John Doherty, a Democratic club will be formed in every precinct in the county. Already clubs have been formed in Bangor and Barre townships and in the 21st ward in the city. These clubs will have their respective officers and they will be elected within a few days when their first meetings will be called. It is the plan of Chairman Doherty to form such clubs in every precinct in the city and county and they will hold meetings when the campaign is under way.

The campaign has already been started by the democrats and within a short time the headquarters will be opened. The location for the headquarters has not as yet been decided upon, but it will be in the main part of the city to be of easy access to all the democrats. The various democratic clubs in the precincts will send delegates to the large meetings that will be held in the headquarters, and speakers will be chosen to canvass the various wards.

"We have received no information from the general headquarters regarding the speakers, but I expect to in a short time," said Chairman Doherty. The campaign proper in the city will probably be opened within the next few days.

Late this afternoon Mr. Doherty had not appointed the committees to have charge of the work, but expects to by tomorrow after which the executive committee will meet and elect the secretary.

## BIG VIROQUA FAIR TOMORROW

The Vernon County fair opens at Viroqua tomorrow and a number of La Crosse people will take the opportunity afforded by the special rates of the La Crosse & Southeastern to attend.

The attendance for the opening day is expected to be large and everything is in readiness for the handling of the crowds. The free attractions will all be going tomorrow and the racing program, for the afternoon, will be the event of the day. The race card for the opening day follows:

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 16.  
2:40 trot—\$200.  
2:35 pace—\$200.  
Half mile run dash for Vernon county horses, horses must be owned by residents of Vernon county sixty days before race—\$60.

Thursday of this week has been set aside as La Crosse day and on this day a large number of La Crosse people will attend. The Southeastern has made special rates for this day and the round trip will cost what would have been one fare. Throughout the fair tickets can be secured over the Southeastern for one fare and a third and will remain good throughout the week.

## WILL AUCTION OLD HOME OF SCHURZ

WATERTOWN, Wis., Sept. 15.—Carl Schurz' old homestead will, Oct. 17, be sold at sheriff's auction to satisfy a judgment. The property, which is located in the Fifth ward, will go under the hammer at 2 p. m. Sheriff William F. Miller of Dodge county will be the auctioneer. It is believed that the home will be sold at a low figure.

It is urged here that the city purchase the homestead and preserve it as a memorial park to the great German-American.

Not much more than \$1,000 is necessary, it is said, to make the purchase and the suggestion has been made that Watertown contributors to the Carl Schurz chairs at the state university withdraw their pledges and give their contributions to the Watertown park commissioners to make the purchase.

Germans here and elsewhere in the state think both memorials should be possible of consummation.

## PETITION AGAINST SALOONS NO GOOD

STEVENS POINT, Wis., Sept. 15.—At Grand Rapids Judge Webb granted an injunction restraining the Stevens Point officers holding an election on Tuesday on the license question. A petition recently filed asked that a vote be taken on raising the license from \$200 to \$500, but through an oversight the petition was not sworn to. Local taxpayers asked the injunction. This postpones the election one year.

### PARIS HAS CAT SOCIETY

PARIS, Sept. 15.—Under the style of "Pattee de Velours," a number of fashionable Parisians have founded a society for the glorification and betterment of cats. Pierre Loti is honorary president. The poet, Edmund Harcourt, is acting president. The society produces a journal named "Le Moncrif," after the poet who wrote elegantly on cats.



## The Labor Question Solved by Gold Dust

The Gold Dust Twins are always looking for work. They are ready to lift the biggest burden of household labor from your shoulders and shift it to their own. When it comes to cleaning of any kind, they are the most willing and tireless little busy-bodies you ever knew. They work without wage and demand—no Thursday afternoons out.

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# VERNON COUNTY FAIR

VIROQUA, WISCONSIN

SEPT. 15, 16, 17, 18

## A \$2,000 Speed Program

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Big Field of Fast Ones are Already Booked

## On the Midway

Merry-Go-Rounds, Ferris Wheels, Theatres, and all the other glittering attractions of a Metropolitan Midway have been provided. Everything clean and wholesome, nothing objectionable to the most sensitive person.

## Thursday, Sept. 17th, is La Crosse Day

HALF RATE SPECIAL TRAIN

On La Crosse & Southeastern R. R. leaving 9 a. m. and leaving Viroqua at 5:30 p. m. Excursion Tickets also Good on regular Trains running Thursday.

J. H. McLEES, President.

J. M. ALLEN, Secretary

## GAME BREAKS UP IN A WRANGLE

Because of an altercation with the umpire at La Crosse Sunday the Diamonds, one of the amateur teams of the city, forfeited the game to the La Crosse team in the third inning. Smith pitched for the La Crosse team and held the Diamonds to one hit prior to the wrangle. John Haley for La Crosse pitched a good game.

### Would Gladly Pay

The English Winston Churchill's reputation for wit is well known, and on one occasion he made a neat little joke at the expense of a self-opinionated army officer. The incident occurred during a dinner in South Africa, and Mr. Churchill and the officer were seated side by side. Throughout the meal the latter was airing his views, until at last Churchill

ill could stand it no longer. "I met a man today who would gladly forfeit fifty pounds for the pleasure of being able to kick you," "To kick me, sir?" exclaimed the astonished soldier. "I must ask you to tell me his name at once!" "Oh," replied Winston, "I'm not quite sure that I ought to do that." "But I insist on knowing," demanded the other angrily. "Well, then, I suppose I must tell you. It was a poor young fellow in the hospital who has lost both his legs by the bursting of a shell."—Cleveland Leader.

### AN ENJOYABLE PICNIC

The following young ladies and young men enjoyed a very pleasant picnic Sunday at Binkman Ridge: Miss Verna Lamphere, Loretta Ikert, Miss Lillian Ferguson, Miss Elfrata Ikert, Mrs. Ikert, Mr. Edward Koehler, Mr. George Carr.

Having a bee in her bonnet is oft-times the cause of a woman's stinging remarks.

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| One lot of White Lawn Dresses    | 98c    |
| One lot of Summer Dresses at     | \$2.98 |
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Yet this policy has made the Bell system the model for the world and has established a standard of service that cannot be matched. Radical changes have been necessary from time to time to bring the service to something like the perfection which the men at the head of the national system have long had in mind, and these changes the Bell companies have not hesitated to make; nor will they in the future.

Good service requires good equipment, one that must be as good tomorrow as it was yesterday.



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## WISCONSIN NEWS

### WISCONSIN MECCA FOR HOMESTEADERS

LOCATING IN PARTIALLY DEVELOPED COUNTIES

### IS A GOOD DAIRY SECTION

Northern Wisconsin Is Valuable to This Industry, but Crops Can Be Raised There Also

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—Commissioner of Immigration A. D. Campbell reports the influx of many homesteaders in the partially developed counties of the state. The numbers vary considerably, generally in accordance with the effort made locally by people interested in development.

"The board has been established only a year," said Mr. Campbell today. "Literature in pamphlet form has been prepared in English, Norwegian, German, Polish and Bohemian languages, of which upwards of 50,000 copies have been distributed. Also there has been sent out 10,000 copies of part five of the twelfth biennial report of the bureau of labor and statistics.

**Send Out Leaflets.**  
"Many thousands of leaflets, devoted to special phases of Wisconsin opportunities, have been printed and circulated. A state map bound in an illustrated six page cover, of which 30,000 were printed, is being used. A beautiful wall hanger in three colors has been placed in the waiting rooms of the Chicago and Northwestern and the Wisconsin Central railway depots in several states. Smaller hangers with illustrations and calendars have been prepared for office use.

"Many descriptive articles have been contributed to daily and weekly papers, farm journals and class periodicals. Such state publications as the reports of the Wisconsin experiment association, Dr. Weldman's soils and agricultural conditions and the reports of the state board of agriculture and horticultural society have been liberally used.

**Is a Dairy Section.**  
"While northern Wisconsin will be primarily a dairy section—such special crops as tobacco, sugar beets, clover seed, peas for canning purposes, small fruit, apples and cherries in certain areas, and other advantages, are not overlooked. Climatic conditions, pure water, transportation and markets are fully discussed."

Mr. Campbell has lived in the northern counties of the state and is able to speak from actual experience as well as from observation and study. He is confident that a continuance of the wide publicity given to Wisconsin opportunities during the past year will turn the tide of immigration to this state.

### HOW TO AVOID APPENDICITIS

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels, and restores the natural action of the bowels. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. O. T. Erhart.

### STEPHENSON WON BY 8,880 PLURALITY

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 16.—United States Senator Isaac Stephenson of Marinette was the victor over Samuel A. Cook of Neenah, his nearest competitor in the recent primary election, by a plurality of 8,880.

This is the result of the official canvass of the votes in all the counties except in Milwaukee county, where the official canvass has not been completed. In this county the official result will doubtless be within a dozen or so votes of the unofficial count as made immediately after election.

In the democratic race, with Polk county lacking, Neal Brown of Wausau has a lead of 13,400 over M. A. Hoyt of Milwaukee. State Senator Jacob Rummel of Milwaukee received a total of 3,799 votes in the state, as far as returns have been received, many counties failing to report their vote on this ticket, and in many counties, it is evident, there were no social democratic votes cast. The unofficial count was:

Stephenson . . . . . 56,354  
Cook . . . . . 47,384  
McGovern . . . . . 42,035  
Hoyt . . . . . 35,135  
Plurality for Stephenson, 8,870.

On the democratic ticket, Mr. Brown received 25,451 votes and Mr. Hoyt 12,951.

### SOCIALIST CONGRESS ON.

BERLIN, Sept. 15.—The annual congress of the German socialist party opened yesterday at Nuremberg under the presidency of the well known leader, Paul Singer, member of the reichstag. Over 300 delegates were present. The international character of the movement was revealed by the delivery of messages of sympathy from socialist organizations of other countries, including America. The annual report showed a gratifying growth in the socialist movement last year.

**BOB WILL ABIDE BY PRIMARY**  
MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 15.—Senator La Follette will not oppose the election of Senator Stephenson by the legislature. The senator made his statement to friends while in Milwaukee last week.

### JUDGES SHOULD BE NAMED BY GOVERNOR

IS CONTENTION OF FORMER FEDERAL JUDGE JENKINS

### WANTS INDEPENDENT BENCH

Governor Should Appoint Only Men Mentally Competent and Tempted to Have Age Limit

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 15.—Former Federal Judge James G. Jenkins believes that judges should be appointed and not elected. He believes that the power of appointment should be given to the governor, and that appointments should be effective during good behavior, or until a prescribed age limit is reached.

In an address at Marquette college, Twelfth street and Grand avenue, to faculty and students of the law department, former Judge Jenkins said: "I believe it to be in the interest of the state—in the interest of good government—to secure certainty in the law—to obtain the highest ability and the best experience of the profession in the adjudication of the law—that judges should be appointed by the governor, and should hold during good behavior, or until a specified age, liable only to removal by impeachment for high crimes and misdemeanors; that they should have a salary commensurate with the value in private life of similar ability and experience; and if retired at a specified age, should not be thrown aside as a worn-out garment, but pensioned, that the closing years of the life of a just judge may be passed in dignified ease.

### Bench Should Be Independent.

"I would have the appointment made by the governor, for when such responsibility is cast upon the chief executive of the state its weight is felt; and as well for his own reputation as in the interests of the state, he will seek for ability, experience and purity to fill the position. But when that responsibility is distributed among twenty thousand voters, more or less many of them ignorant of the man and of the qualities needed for the office—how much consideration is given to the matter? How much responsibility for the selection is felt by each individual voter. The history of some of the states is not without warning in this regard, and whoever has seen, as I have known the case to be, a candidate for high judicial position electioneering in the saloons and personally soliciting the suffrages of the depraved and criminal classes, can not but view with alarm the present elective system of our judiciary. The bench should be independent. That can hardly be when the judge, whose age and necessity compels him to remain in his position, can only do so at the caprice of the public. However severe his honesty of mind, he will insensibly lean with his interests. The ox knoweth his owner, and the ass his master's crib. And in times of great public excitement and emergency—when perhaps the liberty of the citizen is menaced by the storm of public passion—how can we expect of poor, weak, tempted human nature, sitting on the bench—holding place at the will of the mob—to stay the angry storm and to interpose the protection of the law between his masters and the unfortunate citizen?"

### STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

APPLETON—In a decision rendered in the damage suit for \$200 against the town of Freedom, brought by William Hyland, due to injuries a horse he was driving sustained

### The Farmer's Wife

Is very careful about her churn. She scalds it thoroughly after using, and gives it a sun bath to sweeten it. She knows that if her churn is sour it will taint the butter that is made in it. The stomach is a churn. In the stomach and digestive and nutritive tracts are performed processes which are almost exactly like the churning of butter. Is it not apparent then that if this stomach-churn is foul it makes foul all which is put into it?

The evil of a foul stomach is not alone the bad taste in the mouth and the foul breath caused by it, but the corruption of the pure current of blood and the dissemination of disease throughout the body. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes the sour and foul stomach sweet. It does for the stomach what the washing and sun bath do for the churn—absolutely removes every taint or corrupting element. In this way it cures blotches, pimples, eruptions, scrofulous swellings, sores, or open aching ulcers and all humors or diseases arising from bad blood.

If you have bitter, nasty, foul taste in your mouth, coated tongue, foul breath, are weak and easily tired, feel depressed and despondent, have frequent headaches, dizzy attacks, gnawing or distress in stomach, constipated or irregular bowels, sour or bitter risings after eating and poor appetite, these symptoms, or any considerable number of them, indicate that you are suffering from biliousness, torpid or lazy liver with the usual accompanying indigestion, or dyspepsia and their attendant derangements.

The best agents known to medical science for the cure of the above symptoms and conditions, as attested by the writings of leading teachers and practitioners of all the several schools of medical practice, have been skillfully and harmoniously combined in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. That this is absolutely true will be readily proven to your satisfaction if you will but mail a postal card request to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for a free copy of his booklet of extracts from the standard medical authorities, giving the names of all the ingredients entering into his world-famed medicines and showing what the most eminent medical men of the age say of them.

# INTER-STATE FAIR

SEPTEMBER

21-26

\$7000.00 IN PREMIUMS -:- \$6,000.00 IN PURSES

### SPEED PROGRAM

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| 2:10 Pace                     | \$500.00 |
| 2:15 Pace (Inter-State purse) | 600.00   |
| 2:20 Pace                     | 500.00   |
| 2:24 Pace (La Crosse purse)   | 600.00   |
| 2:30 Pace                     | 500.00   |
| 2:35 Pace                     | 300.00   |

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| 2:15 Trot                    | 500.00 |
| 2:20 Trot (Merchants' purse) | 600.00 |
| 2:25 Trot (Jobbers' purse)   | 600.00 |
| 2:30 Trot                    | 400.00 |
| 2:40 Trot                    | 300.00 |

ENTRIES CLOSE SEPTEMBER 16TH

### THE FREE ATTRACTIONS OF JUDGE, DACOMA & JUDGE AND THE JAPANESE TROUPE

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### RICE'S DOG & PONY CIRCUS AND THE IGORROTTE VILLAGE

Will be the Star Features of the Midway.

AN EXCURSION RATE OF ONE FARE AND 1/2 HAS BEEN OBTAINED FROM ALL RAILROADS FOR ALL POINTS 150 MILES DISTANT FROM LA CROSSE

## THE HOLIDAY WEEK OF THE YEAR!

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C. S. VAN AUKEN, Secretary.

when it ran into a barrier at night erected where road work was going on, Judge Ryan holds that no lights need be displayed where barriers are put up to warn against danger.

**SUPERIOR**—During the year ending Sept. 1, it cost the county over \$2,000 in bounty on wild animal pelts. The state paid a like amount and the hunters of this vicinity reaped nearly all the harvest.

**OSHKOSH**—City Attorney W. C. Cowling states that the case of the Barber Asphalt company against the city of Oshkosh, noted for trial in

the supreme court, has been placed upon the November calendar.

**SUPERIOR**—Superior may erect a statue to the founder of West Superior, Gen. John Henry Hammond. Ald. Shafer is now agitating the matter and private subscriptions will probably be taken up for the purpose.

**PLATTEVILLE**—Clarice Coats, the 7 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Coats was nearly scalped by a Ferris wheel. The child was riding in one of the wheel chairs when her long braid of hair was

caught in the machinery and torn from her head.

**EAU CLAIRE**—The survivors of company G will hold a reunion here Oct. 3.

**FOND DU LAC**—Bert Taylor, a lineman, was badly burned when he fell across a live wire while trying to make a connection on top of a pole.

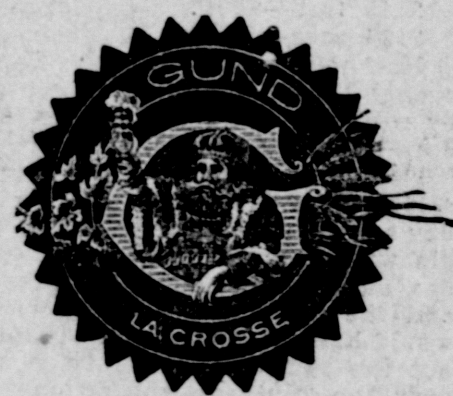
**WAUPUN**—Local merchants have petitioned the county treasurer to put his official seal on their weights and measures and it is possible that the county board will be asked to

create the official of county sealer.

**BARABOO**—While William Fox was away from home attending the state fair at Milwaukee, thieves broke into his vineyard and stole all the grapes on an acre of vines.

**FOND DU LAC**—The seventh intercounty convention of the Women's Christian Temperance union will be held in this city Sept. 17 and 18 at the Baptist church.

**GREEN BAY**—Judge and Mrs. D. Hastings have returned home after a summer sojourn in Europe and the British isles.



## "Something Good to Drink"

and something good to eat, and some good friends around the table add immensely to the pleasures of being alive, in this most beautiful of worlds. Hence it is not unusual to find in many La Crosse homes a few dozen bottles of a fine mellow malt and hop brew like

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*Peerless*  
**BEER**

safely stored away in the ice box for daily use, and the entertainment of visitors. In the brewing of "Peerless," the finest and most costly bearded barley is used that can be grown in the rich, fertile plains of the Northwest.

We get the pick of the best crops, being located in the heart of the Barley Belt. We import the choice aromatic hops of old Bohemia. We use yeast of perfect culture and water as "clear as crystal," that bubbles perennially from granite rocks than bank the rolling Mississippi.

The result is a beer of unsurpassed excellence, a splendid beer for the home and family circle. It brightens conversation and aids digestion of solids, thus promoting health as well as sociability and good fellowship. Let us send you a case.

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# TRIBUNE WANTS

## Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade, will equip shop for you or furnish position, few weeks complete, constant practice, careful instruction, tools given. Saturday wages, diploma granted, write for catalogue. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—For U. S. Army: Able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, Hotel Grand, La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—Several young men to take board and room. 118 So. 9th St.

WANTED—Good presser and bushelman at Pitzer's Dye Works.

WANTED—Man of good address. Can find steady employment at 108 No. 3rd.

## Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girls Hotel Doering.

WANTED—Girl for housework at 1304 Cass.

WANTED—Girls at American House.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. New phone, 641-M, 2023 Main.

WANTED—Girls, chocolate dipping and packing. Funke's Candy Co.

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen to sell our goods. A proven winner for agents. Fabric Implement Co., 1605 Farnam St., La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—Two girls at Union Hotel, 427 So. 3rd St.

WANTED—Kitchen and lunch counter and dining room girls. Bronson Hotel.

WANTED—Girls at the Wilson House, 234 So. 6th.

WANTED—Competent cook, good wages. Mrs. A. A. Morse, 1224 King.

WANTED—Girls at Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 No. 6th.

## For Sale

FOR SALE—Nine room house, good barn, fine water, everything in good condition. Inquire at 1322 Pine St.

FOR SALE—8 room house with barn on large lot. Also two cottages on large lot leaving city. 1227 Denton.

FOR SALE—\$250.00 cash gets nice corner lot about 50x150 to an alley, two blocks from car line, five minutes' walk from new normal school. Address, 777, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Set of engineering books. Complete with all the Scranton School Models, very cheap if taken at once. Apply at Tribune Office.

FOR SALE—Good second hand lumber of all kinds. Enquire at old Sawyer & Austin mill site or call up A. J. Roberge, 2211 old phone.

FOR SALE—350 acres, 225 acres of which is in oak timber 20 years' growth. The balance in cultivation. Good buildings, 500 fruit trees, fine grass, grain and stock farm. Price \$5,500. One half cash, balance five year. Catalogue free. J. R. McGonigal & Son, Dover, Del.

FOR SALE—Ten shares Tabasco plantation, \$300 a share. Sumner Davis, Grand Island, Nebr.

FOR SALE—160 acre farm, 12 miles from Fort Scott, 2 to station. All smooth and tillable, lays fine; 140 cultivation and tame grass. Good 7 room house, good barn, other buildings, orchard, well fenced and watered. Near school, good neighborhood, mail and phone lines. Price \$40 per acre. \$2,800 cash and the balance on time. If taken soon 70 acres corn goes with farm. Owner wants to go into other business, hence reason for selling at this price. Really worth \$50. Possession given. Many other bargains in farms, stock ranches. Write for free list. F. H. Humphrey, Ft. Scott, Kans.

FOR SALE—Nice building lots in best residence district in new part of the city, near to High School, new Normal School and handy to street car. Easy terms. Call or address, Dr. J. W. Lawrence.

FOR SALE—Wood heater, 1633 Mississippi St.

FOR SALE—Confectionery, good location, cheap. Frank G. Roth, 328 Pearl.

FOR SALE—Must be sold, rare bargains, 160 acres choice black land, 125 cultivation, Codington Co., S. D. Also 320 acres choice level Neesho Co., Kans., farm. Terms, price and particulars on application. R. M. Bettsworth, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

FOR SALE—180 strictly good 1,100-pound feeding steers, good quality, all dehorned and fleshy. Sell all or part for September delivery. Gifford Bros., Mitchell, S. D.

FOR SALE—7 drop head Singers, 1 Davis. Woodwork slightly marred. Can be bought cheap. Cash or time. Call, Singer Store, 108 No. 3d.

FOR SALE—Reasonable, a good driving horse, 5 years old, black. Inquire Eagle Hotel.

FOR SALE—Season tickets for week of Inter-State Fair. Good for one admission each day, \$1.00. On sale at Fred Hill Shoe Co., 4th and Main; Hebbard's Drug Store, 4th and Main; Young's Drug Store, 3rd and Main; Peter Newburg, 324 Pearl St.

FOR SALE—8 room house with barn on large lot. Leaving city, 1227 Denton.

FOR SALE—Half interest in boat-house at foot of St. Cloud street. Inquire at 1453 Kane street.

FOR SALE—Farm, cheap, 220 acres good land, good house, two barns and stable, known as the John E. Jones place, south of Rockland. This land belongs to the estate and must be sold. Write or call E. D. James, Rockland, Wis.

FOR SALE—160 acres good farm land, cheap for cash; or will trade for city property, 804 Cass St.

FOR SALE—Must be sold, furniture, carpets, rugs, almost new, stoves, wagons and harness. 906 Ferry.

FOR SALE—Dining room table and 6 chairs, 524 So. 6th.

FOR SALE—Half interest in boat house. Foot of St. Cloud St. Inquire at 1453 Kane St.

FOR SALE—16 ft. hunting skiff. Address L. M. S., care Tribune.

FOR SALE—Household goods, 509 So. 3rd St.

FOR SALE—Bay horse, four years old, well broken, single or double. Inquire P. H. Sheldon, Bangor.

FOR SALE—House to be moved. Inquire 814 So. 8th St. Old phone, 3462.

FOR SALE—\$850, 7 room house, lot 50x150 to an alley, good barn and 2 sheds on lot, 1201 Kane.

FOR SALE—A set of 12 volumes of Encyclopedia of Law. A bargain. Address, B. F. care of Tribune.

FOR SALE—Three stores 20 ft. x 90 ft. at No. 207-209-211 Main street, also Burlington hotel, 108 No. 2nd St. Inquire of Joseph Boschert, Trustee Fay Estate.

FOR SALE—Jewel wood cook stove. Good as new, price \$10, 416 S. 6th.

## For Rent

FOR RENT—Large front room suitable for two. 326 Cass.

FOR RENT—Ladies' and gentlemen's wheel in good condition, 329 So. 3rd. Down stairs.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, steam heat, 415 So. 5th.

FOR RENT—All kinds modern furnished rooms. Second floor, Tribune Bldg.

FOR RENT—Or sale—A farm of 160 acres. C. Lynch, Eltrick, Wis.

FOR RENT—Two pleasant front rooms furnished, single or en suite, 620 So. 7th.

FOR RENT—Double store, 114-116 No. Front. Apply to McClellan Paper Co.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, suitable for gentleman and wife or 2 gentlemen, 618 Cass.

FOR RENT—8 room house, \$12.00. Cor. 9th & Market.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, \$1.00, \$1.50, at the Michel, 201-2 So. Front St. All modern conveniences. New phone No. 697-C. Aug. C. Rhode, Prop.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 513 Ferry. Reasonable price and board next door.

FOR RENT—Very desirable rooms for gentlemen, 236 So. 7th.

## Lost

LOST—Between Abbot Road and Return to 114 So. 4th St. Reward. Pettibone Park, ladies' black coat.

LOST—Masonic emblem, square and compass. Reward. D. G. Whyte.

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TYPEWRITERS for Sale or Rent. Weis' Book Store, 509 Main St.

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HOME Treatment for mothers and daughters, 105 So. 6th St. Miss Cecelia Maloney, Mgr. New phone 624-R.

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TORNADO INSURANCE—\$4.00 per thousand for 3 years; \$6.00 for 5 years. C. A. Van Auken, 328 Pearl St.

## Groceries

PRICES cut on everything. Stock entirely new. Birnbaum's Cash Store, 1124 Gillette St.

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CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Architects, Superintendents

SCHICK & ROTH—Batafian Bank Building. Telephone 290.

## Patterns

WE Sell Pictorial Review Patterns; mail orders promptly filled. Weis' Book Store, 509 Main St., La Crosse.

## Financial

LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 323 Main street, upstairs.

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FURNITURE moved and stored, jobbing of all kinds. Buildings bought and sold. Otto Granke, 831 Rose St. Old phone, 6064; new phone, 1018C.

## Real Estate

FOR RENT—11 room, full modern, brick house, 705 So. 5th St. \$35. Office suite in Beck block, call at my office.

Store building 810 Farnam St. FOR SALE. A large variety of city and farm properties. Call at my office and examine the list.

A nice small confectionery in very good location for \$300. This is the tornado season. Insure your property against storm damage with me. All kinds of insurance. Only the best companies represented.

Notary Public. Money to Loan. C. E. KILLEN. 208 McMillan Bldg. La Crosse, Wis. Anyway, the man in jail doesn't have to worry about where his next meal is coming from.

## Miscellaneous

WANTED—Solicitor, salary or commission; work in city preferred. Enquire Tribune.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHY at 208 Linker Building.

WANTED—Storm sash to repair, glass set and painted if desired. Your work solicited. Phone or call A. & C. Johnson, 221 Main.

WANTED—5 cents per copy will be paid for the following missing numbers of The Tribune: 1908, March 2 and 6; Aug. 11 and 28, 1907, October 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 16, 21, 25; November, 1, 2, 13, 24, 27; December, 17, 19, 20, 23, 24; Sept., all but 10, 14, 28, 30; June, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 21, 23, 30, 31; July, 15 and 17th to 31st; August, 12 and 15; March 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31.

TO RENTERS—We have a fine half section farm in Minnesota to lease upon favorable terms. Write for particulars. Twin City Loan & Realty Co., 348 Security Bank Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn.

## FINE GREENHOUSE OF LA X FLORAL CO.

IT IS A THRIVING AND A GROWING INDUSTRY

CUTS 500 CARNATIONS DAILY

Beautiful Rose House and Chrysanthemum Bunches Seen—A Cave of Celery and Mushrooms

The earth gives up her riches to the La Crosse Floral company. It is just the right sort of earth, too. The stretch of land, 21 acres of the soil from which other flower culturists have long enriched their greenhouses, is declared by scientific test to be the most perfectly suited to floral gardens of any in the entire northwest.

A visit to the plant of the company yesterday convinced a Tribune correspondent that this concern is one of the coming big industries of La Crosse. He saw under 25,000 square feet of glass wide expanses of

"The flowers that bloom in spring, tra-la!"

and the flowers that bloom in summer and in the fall as well. The product of this green house is choice, and the perfection of specimens of all types shows the direction of the guiding hand of Expert C. E. Schafer which learned its cunning during 14 years in charge of the fine green house of the Salzers, in which last year he landed first prize for red and third prize for yellow chrysanthemum in the celebrated Chicago flower show.

Plant a Convenient One. At the entrance to the plant is the office, a most convenient affair, beyond which is the packing room, the boiler room and the engine room containing the equipment which pumps a gallon a minute into the green house day and night. The system used is the most approved of the modern methods, known as the Foley system.

The Lordly Chrysanthemums. The first benches within the greenhouse are those devoted to the growing of chrysanthemums. There are now in growth and ready for flowering 6,000 plants, growing one, two, three and four flowers, the combined output of which is estimated as not less than 8,000 blossoms.

300 Carnations a Day. Thirteen thousand carnation plants from which are clipped an average of 500 blossoms per day, formed a pretty spectacle banked in their parallel benches and showing red, pink, white and the rarest of all, a blue-white of a commercial diamond effect. The A. G. Balfour and the Tom Lawson rank among the prized varieties of this flower.

The Rose House a Beauty. The Rose house is a thing of beauty. Such choice plants as the new Killarney, a beautiful pink rose, the reddest of the red Richmonds, and the healthy Old Sunset are there, 4,000 plants strong. These roses are the rarest to be had, and the rose house is truly resplendent in nature's ornaments.

An Historic Cave. An interesting feature of the plant is the old cave which Charles and John Michel dug out with their own hands away back in 1864 as a storage plant. It is 55 feet deep, and roomy, and its resurrection for use by the floral company nicely completes the excellent equipment of the concern. In this cave 30,000 stalks of celery the firm is growing well bleached for the market, as well as a large crop of cabbage. In it also, the floral company is growing a crop of mushrooms which will shortly be ready for the market.

A Shrine for Pilgrims. A more interesting trip can hardly be imagined than this one to the great new green houses, and it is probable that the floral company's delightful place will become one of the objectives of pilgrims seeking the real attractions of La Crosse.

BIRTHS DOUBLE AUGUST DEATHS

Health Officer Anthony Murphy this morning issued the regular monthly report for August in which it is shown that during the month 62 births were recorded. Thirty-five were female while 27 were males. Thirty-one deaths were recorded, 15 being males and 13 females. During the month nine accidents occurred and 29 marriages were recorded.

After a city has attained a population of 100,000 a stranger may alude to it as a village without danger of having his head knocked off.

## MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

### SAINTLY LID IS OFF SAYS LEAGUE

ALLEGATIONS MADE BY LAW ENFORCEMENT LEAGUE

MANY INSTANCES ARE CITED

Twenty-seven Saloons are Said to Have Been Open After 11 O'clock or on Sunday

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 15.—The St. Paul "lid" is in the air. It is lifted so high and so long at night and on Sundays, that it is practically no lid at all, but merely a moral gauze which slightly obscures the seething brew of vice.

Gross violations of the laws that regulate the closing of St. Paul saloons after 11 o'clock p. m. and on Sunday are alleged in communications received yesterday by Mayor D. W. Lawler and Chief of Police J. J. O'Connor, from the Young People's Law Enforcement league.

To Chief O'Connor the league complains that six of its members visited saloons on two Sundays and on the nights of two week days, during the last half month, and that 27 saloons, the location and ownership of which are designated, were found to be keeping open and transacting business in direct violation of the law. The league "demands" that the chief enforce the law.

The letter to the mayor is dated Thursday. It confines its statements to general allegations. Many saloons, it affirms, are violating the law. Despite the mayor's recent promise to the league that he would issue an ordinance requiring strict obedience to the law, regulations have been more open and flagrant than before—a situation that the league views "with mingled pity and regret." Minors are still playing in pool rooms; and the wine room nuisance continues unchecked, especially in connection with the chop suey house.

His honor is reminded that Frank Luck recently drank a quart of whiskey in a room over a Payne avenue saloon and died because of the drinking. Without any essential reference to the laws about the closing of saloons, the recent murder of Mrs. Eisenberger, by her husband, a West Side barber, and the suicide of the murderer, are pointed out as "a fair sample of the work done every day by the liquor that our great breweries are so eager to have sold at hours and days prohibited by law."

Cured Hay Fever and Summer Cold. A. J. Nussbaum, Batesville, Indiana, writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever, and a doctor's prescription did not reach my case, and I took several medicines which seemed to only aggravate my case. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package, and it quickly cured me. My wife has since used Foley's Honey and Tar with the same success."

BROKE FURNITURE; GETS THIRTY DAYS

Because he had the bad habit of breaking the furniture in the home of his mother when he got out of humor, Ener Hanson was today given 30 days in the county jail in which place he will have ample opportunity to have his temper.

Hanson, who is the son of Mrs. Hanson, has on previous occasions gone to her home and proceeded to wreck the contents of the house, when taken into court this time he was charged with committing the "second" offense but refused to plead guilty. When the "second" offense was stricken out, however, he jumped at the chance to get off with the 30 days.

EXAMINE HUB FO RHIS SANITY

Joe Huf, a stranger whose home, family relations and other connections are unknown, and who was picked up by the police here, will be examined for his sanity.

When arrested he showed signs of insanity; he tore his clothes from his body and refused to put on others.

Doctors Egan and George Powell have been appointed by Judge Brindley to make the examination, which will probably be held this afternoon.

GOSPEL SERVICES AT THE JAIL

The W. C. T. U. gospel song service was held at the jail Sunday afternoon. Mr. B. S. Steadwell opened the meeting with a song and prayer service, followed by song by the male quartet of the Baptist church. The message was given by Rev. C. E. Henry of Tomah. Theme, "Christ's Love for Men," which was full of encouragement and helpfulness.

There was a song by the quartet and excellent testimonials were given by Mr. Johnson, Turner, Ogden, Steadwell and others. Much interest was shown by the inmates.

ARREST LABORER FOR RAZOR THEFT

Jim McDowell, a laborer at Tomah, was arraigned last evening by the local police, as a result of a telephone message from the constable at Tomah. McDowell is wanted on a larceny charge at Tomah. He was employed on a railroad gang and is alleged to have stolen a razor from Carl Wallace, a fellow employee. The matter was reported to the Tomah police who telephoned to the local authorities to watch the trains and as a result McDowell was arrested in the north side yards last evening.

He was taken to Tomah on the noon train by Constable Rowan of that place.

No. 64

SUMMIT BASE BURNER

\$48.00

Equal to any stove sold for \$56.00.

JOSTEN HARDWARE CO.

### COMMITTS SUICIDE IN CROWDED STREET

RUNS THROUGH STREET WITH BLOOD STREAMING DOWN

STAGGERS INTO HOSPITAL

Slashes Throat From Ear to Ear—Dies an Hour After Wound Is Dressed at Hospital

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 15.—Running through the streets with his throat cut from ear to ear, Joseph Klein terrorized people in the vicinity of St. Peter and Exchange streets. Men, women and children scattered in all directions as the blood-covered man, crazed with pain, dashed across Exchange street and tried to force his way into a saloon on the opposite side of the street.

The saloonkeeper and his family saw the man approaching and barred the door against him. Klein then turned in the direction of St. Joseph's hospital, staggered through the main entrance and fell unconscious on the floor.

His entrance almost created a panic among the visitors in the waiting room. Attendants of the hospital quickly carried him into the operating room, where Dr. W. D. Kelley sewed the gaping wound in his neck in an effort to stop the blood that was streaming from the severed blood vessels. An hour later Klein died and his body was taken to the county morgue by Coroner A. W. Miller. It was removed later to the undertaking rooms of John Willwerth.

Joseph Klein has been janitor of the Assumption school. After completing his work, he was seen running from the school with his throat slashed, leaving a trail of blood behind him.

He was a bachelor and lived alone. Some years ago he underwent an abdominal operation that nearly cost him his life, and it is said that he has not been in good health since.

## NORTHWEST IN BRIEF

HURON, S. D.—Sheriff Parr of Winona, Minn., has arrived here with requisition papers for Harry Cole, George K. Hastings, Harry Hallett and E. J. Neary, in jail here, charged with being connected with the recent silk theft at Winona. The men are attempting to obtain release on habeas corpus proceedings. They declare they will resist in every way possible their transfer to Minnesota. The names given are believed to be fictitious.

WEST UNION, Ia.—After spending five months in jail on a charge of murdering his father, Walter Whitebeck, 32 years old, will be placed on trial here before Judge Hobson.

SIoux FALLS, S. D.—The people of Bryant, a thriving little town in Hamlin county, proudly boast that their town is the greatest grain market in the state. In support of this claim they point out that during the course of a few days the elevators there handled more than 100,000 bushels of grain.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia.—Col. William G. Dows of the Fifty-third regiment of Iowa militia has resigned. It is said that his resignation, which will take effect Jan. 1, 1909, is due to stress of business. Col. Dows was colonel of the Forty-ninth regiment of Iowa volunteers which saw service in Cuba during the Spanish-American war.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia.—J. J. Brummell of Argenta, Ark., who for eight years has been an engineer on the C. R. L. and P., has been appointed traveling engineer for the Iowa Central. Mr. Brummell has charge of the Eastern and Illinois divisions of the line. His headquarters will be at Monmouth, Ill.

DULUTH, Minn.—Emil Graftstrom, a workman 40 years old of 1002 Garfield avenue, committed suicide by shooting himself. He was unmarried and had been drinking of late.

RETAIL

(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.) Patent, per 1-4 bbl. sack .....\$1.60 Straight, per 1-4 bbl. sack .....\$1.55

(Quoted by A. B. Moll.) Summer squash .....5c Young carrots, per bunch .....3 for 5c Young beets, per bunch .....2c Eggs, strictly fresh .....25c Creamery butter, per pound .....25c Dairy, per pound .....25c Parsley, per bunch .....5c New cabbage, each .....5c Potatoes, per bushel .....75c Carrots, per peck .....15c Wax beans, pound .....15c Beets, per peck .....15c Cucumbers, each .....2c Lettuce, 2 bunches for .....5c Green peppers, dozen .....15c Turnips, peck .....15c Fresh tomatoes, pound .....5c Pineapples, each .....75c Egg plant, each .....10c Cantaloupes .....5 to 10c Peaches, dozen .....20c Watermelons .....25c Green corn, per doz .....12½c Blackberries .....10c Grapes, lb. ....35c Lima beans, peck .....35c

(Quoted by H. M. Slegler.) Pickered .....8c Pike, pound .....15c White .....15c Trout, pound .....15c

(Quoted by J. C. Burns.) Apples, new, bu. ....60 to 75c Crabs, bu. ....1.25 Lemons, 360 size box .....\$3.50 Lemons, 360 size box .....\$4.50 Cabbages, per crate .....\$1.75 Cocoanuts, per 100 .....\$4.50 New potatoes, bushel .....70c New carrots .....50c to \$1.50 Peaches, white freestone, box .....85c Peaches, clingstone, box .....80c Tokay grapes, crate .....\$1.75 Bartlett pears, per box .....\$1.75 to \$2.00 Bartlett pears, bbl. ....\$4.00 Bartlett pears, bu. ....\$1.50 Kiefer's pears, bu. ....\$1.25 California lemons 240 box .....\$3.50 Oranges, Valencia, 150 176 Or



IS THERE ANY BOY OR GIRL IN LA CROSSE, COUNTY OR THE SURROUNDING COUNTIES WHO DOES NOT WANT A THOROUGHbred IMPORTED SHETLAND PONY?

YOU MAY GET ONE FREE BY ENTERING THE

# TRIBUNE PONY CONTEST

## BOYS AND GIRLS

Four of these complete outfits will be given to the Boys and Girls of La Crosse and surrounding country. They will arrive soon and be at the Tribune Office.



## BOYS AND GIRLS

The First Shetland Pony Outfit will be here soon, probably TODAY. You can come to the Tribune Office and see the Pony—He wants to see you too—He wants you to pet and admire him. He is the greatest pet on earth, pretty and gentle—Don't fail to see him.

The Contest Department At The Tribune Office Will Be OPEN EVERY EVENING.

## HOW TO SECURE ONE OF THESE SHETLAND PONY OUTFITS

The Tribune today announces a popular voting contest for the boys and girls of this vicinity, which surpasses anything that has ever been done for them before. It proposes to give to two boys or girls in the city, whoever may win, a complete Shetland Pony Outfit, consisting of a thoroughbred Shetland Pony, harness and rubber-tired buggy. It also proposes to give to a boy or girl in Wisconsin outside of the city, a complete Shetland Pony Outfit, just like the ones in the city, and it also proposes to give the same kind of an outfit to the boy or girl living in Minnesota and Iowa.

## NOMINATION BLANK

GOOD FOR TWENTY-FIVE VOTES

Only One Nomination Blank Accepted for any one Candidate.

Date \_\_\_\_\_  
To Contest Manager, Tribune, La Crosse Wis.:  
I nominate \_\_\_\_\_  
(Full name of candidate.)  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
District No. \_\_\_\_\_  
As the most popular candidate in The Tribune Contest.  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Signed \_\_\_\_\_

One nomination sent in will count twenty-five votes if sent to The Tribune Contest Manager.

Cut out this blank, send it to The Tribune with your name, or the name and address of your favorite candidate. The names of people making nominations will not be divulged, if so requested.

## SCHEDULE OF VOTES FOR NEW AND OLD SUBSCRIBERS

The following number of votes will be given for old and new subscriptions for the Daily Tribune, for city by carrier:

| SUBSCRIPTION. | —VOTES— |         |        |
|---------------|---------|---------|--------|
|               | Amt.    | New.    | Old    |
| Five weeks    | \$ .50  | 800     | 400    |
| Ten weeks     | 1.00    | 1,600   | 800    |
| Fifteen weeks | 1.50    | 3,200   | 1,600  |
| Six months    | 2.50    | 7,000   | 3,500  |
| Nine months   | 3.75    | 10,000  | 5,000  |
| One year      | 5.00    | 15,000  | 7,500  |
| Two years     | 10.00   | 32,000  | 16,000 |
| Three years   | 15.00   | 60,000  | 30,000 |
| Five years    | 25.00   | 100,000 | 50,000 |

Daily by Mail

The Tribune by carrier or mail, outside of La Crosse:

| SUBSCRIPTION. | —VOTES— |        |        |
|---------------|---------|--------|--------|
|               | Amt.    | New.   | Old.   |
| Three months  | \$ .75  | 1,600  | 800    |
| Six months    | 1.50    | 3,200  | 1,600  |
| One year      | 3.00    | 8,000  | 4,000  |
| Two years     | 6.00    | 18,000 | 9,000  |
| Three years   | 9.00    | 30,000 | 15,000 |
| Five years    | 15.00   | 60,000 | 30,000 |

## CASH COMMISSION FOR NON-WINNERS

As an extra inducement for contestants, we will give a ten per cent commission to all contestants who do not win prizes, on the new business that they bring into the office. This does not apply to old business such as collections, etc., but to cash payments on new subscriptions. If you have brought in \$500 in new business and still don't win a prize you will receive \$50.00 for your work, so that every contestant will get something. This is by far the most liberal offer ever made by a La Crosse newspaper and will no doubt be recognized as such by the contestants in this Mammoth Popular Pony Contest.

## CONDITIONS READ CAREFULLY:

Any boy or girl, 16 years of age or under, is eligible provided conditions set forth below are complied with:

Candidates must reside in the district or territory from which nominated. Candidates removing from this district or territory after being nominated will lose all votes received. No candidates will be permitted to transfer votes to another after receiving them.

Ballots sent in for names not properly nominated will be destroyed uncounted.

Every candidate must be regularly nominated on a blank printed in this paper or a similar blank furnished by the La Crosse Tribune.

Candidate may nominate themselves, or their friends may do it for them. Names of candidates who have been nominated properly will be published every day, if possible, with the number of votes such candidate has received. If the name of the boy or girl you want to vote for is not in the list nominate him or her properly when you send in your ballots or before, if possible.

A coupon will be printed in this paper every day. This coupon will count for ten votes. All coupons will be dated, and will be void unless received at The Tribune office on or before the expiration date as printed. All ballots must be sent direct to the Contest Manager of The Tribune, postage fully prepaid.

No direct employee of The Tribune or member of employee's family will be eligible as a candidate.

Any questions or controversies that may arise are to be settled by The Tribune only. The Tribune reserves the right to make any changes or additions to the above conditions that may be deemed necessary in the interest of the contestants.

In accepting nominations all candidates must accept and agree to abide by the above conditions.

To contestants who do not win prizes cash commissions will be awarded on the new business brought into the office. A record of each contestant's new business will be kept and at the close, any boy or girl not winning a prize will be given a cash commission of ten per cent on all the new subscriptions collected for. In this way every contestant will get either a prize or cash for his or her work.

## CUT OUT THIS COUPON

Fill out as directed and send to the Contest Manager of the La Crosse Tribune.

Ballots cannot be bought. They must be cut from the paper or secured with subscriptions.

Not Good after September 22, 1908.

## THE LA CROSSE TRIBUNE

Mammoth Voting Contest

This Ballot will count for Ten Votes

For \_\_\_\_\_  
Dis \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

Good for ten votes when filled out and sent to the Tribune office by mail or otherwise, on or before expiration date. No ballot will be altered in any way or transferred after received by The Tribune. Unless ballot is trimmed carefully around the black lines, it will not be counted.

## TERRITORY DIVIDED INTO 4 DISTRICTS:

The subscribers of the La Crosse Daily Tribune are to select the winners of these ponies and outfits. We have divided the territory into four districts:

District No. 1 is that part of the city of La Crosse known as the south side covered by city carrier.

District No. 2 is that part of the city of La Crosse known as the north side covered by city carrier.

District No. 3 consists of all territory outside of the city of La Crosse in Wisconsin, including all rural routes.

District No. 4 consists of all territory in Minnesota and Iowa.

## HOW VOTES CAN BE SECURED

Selection of the winners will be made by ballot. All old and new subscribers paying or prepaying their subscriptions to the Daily Tribune will be given votes which they can cast for the boy or girl they desire to have the pony outfit, according to the table of votes published in this announcement. Besides the votes given on subscription there will be a coupon published in each issue of the La Crosse Daily Tribune, which when cut out and filled in, will count as ten votes. Nomination blanks will count 25 votes as long as they appear in the paper. The winners of these prizes will be the boys and girls of the greatest popularity, most extensive acquaintance, with the best organizing and hustling abilities. Send in your nomination at once. It costs absolutely nothing. Thousands of boys and girls spend years in saving what you can get in a few weeks' time by hard and persistent work. The sooner you start, the better your chances for success.

## HOW THE PRIZES WILL BE DISTRIBUTED

The four complete Shetland Pony Outfits will be awarded to the four contestants receiving the greatest number of votes in their respective districts. One outfit will be delivered to one boy or girl 16 years of age or under in District No. 1, known as the south side, covered by city carrier; one to boy or girl in District No. 2, known as the north side, covered by city carrier; one to boy or girl in District No. 3, which is all territory in Wisconsin, and one to boy or girl in District No. 4, which is the states of Minnesota and Iowa.

## REMEMBER--

The contest opened Saturday, Sept. 12, and will close Saturday, November 7th. There will be four boys and girls the proud possessor of these prizes. Commence now to collect coupons and get subscriptions. An early start means much. Ask all your friends and their friends to help you.

## HOW TO WIN:

YOU MUST SECURE THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF VOTES IN YOUR RESPECTIVE DISTRICT.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION TELEPHONE, CALL ON OR WRITE CONTEST MANAGER, THE TRIBUNE, LA CROSSE, WIS. BOTH PHONES 323